STRANGE STORIES.

FOR THE SONE OF GENTLEMEN. an imposture?" exclaimed Mr. Rupert Croomes long day, for none of them ever came back Before that I had always been strong and

the man himself at a meeting in London." "I never heard of him till his son came to me."

"Rupert, it can't be his son. Lord Renison told me he had not son. Of course he was auxious to have the matter investigated at once but I persuaded him to allow me to speak to you privately first. A sounded of that sort would do you an im -ense amount of harm." "It would indeed. And it would be too hard if anything went amiss now. My success since this time last year, when I vontured to ask your danghter's hand, has been so very gratifying.

"I know you thought me hard hearted usist on some tangible signs of presparity. But I had to do so in Mary's interest. I am pertechly willing that her fortune-and, as you know, it is one of considerable amount-should be usefully employed in forwarding her husbund's welfare, but I could not consont to its being sunk in a venture which was entirely uncertain. You have made a firm position by now. and there is no reason why you and she should not marry. But just look into this little matter." int rview with his nancée, made his way back to his own house—a spacinus rilla, standing in large grounds and affording ample accommodation for the twelve young gentlemen under his care. Rupert always said that, if his charges w. re high. at least be made his pupils comfortable and the house were a very prosper as look. Nevertheless a load of care oppressed him that evening

was so ver awkward. "I can't read that cursed Poorage through every time," said be to himself as he opened the charge was \$24, payable in instalments if publish this letter, should you think it best to solicit ansferers to give it a trial to test its value. He suminoned his bonsekeep a respectable if severe-looking woman, to a consultation, and revealed to her the state of the case. Sir smiled

grimly, and said, "You're in a fix." " Fancy old Aylwin meeting him too! As if it wasn't bad luck enough that "-'What's the use of jawing?" asked the house keeper; "what are you going to do?" "Oh, we coust ship the brat off to-morror corning, and humbly confess that we've been imposed upon. But, d-n it! it seems to me that every name's got some fool who wears it."

"When's the wedding ?" "In a fortnight. We can keep 'em quiet till then with 'inquiries,' oun't we?"

"Ought to," said the housekeeper Rupert at down and wrote a very neat note to Lord Renison, expressing his astonishment and pain at what had occurred, and saving he was making every inquiry and would koep him informed of the result. Meanwhile he would by greatly obliged if the affair could be kept quiet for a few days. His letter ended, he sent for the Honourable Claude Renison and told im that he must leave the establishment the nert morning. Mrs. Railey, the housekeeper. would escort him to his home.

The Honourable Claude was a boy of about twelve, small in stature but remarkably acute in "You said you'd keep me three months," said

be; " what's ver game now!" "That's no business of yours," retorted Ruort; " I'll make it all right with your mother." "Mother 'll see to that," remarked the Honour able Claude: "But why aint I to 'ave" ---"You go quietly, Bob, and I'll stand a quid,"

said Rupert Croomes. "Done with yours truly." answered the Houhe indicated his Eton jacket and nest grey "Oh, keep them and go to --- uncle's," said

Mr. Cropmes impatiently. The next morning Mrs. Bailey and the Honourable Claude set out for Loadon; the rest of the young gentlemen played at various a orta n the retired playground at the back of the muse, and frequently expressed the somewhat invsterious opinion that Mr. Croomes was a deen 'un." but that residence in his establish-

ment was infinitely superior to the Board and abenuv frees." Among the special features, which had raised Mr. Croomes's preparatory school in one year from nothing at all to its present promising condition, and had thereby rendered him an acceptable son-in-law to Mr. Aylwin, was to be reckonapt, lest by chance they should contract unigar ways or vulgar acquaintances. Many of the neighbours, whose sons were forbidden access to the company of these aristocratic youths. thought Mr. Croomes carried his principle too far; and it certainly did seem absurd that he should discourage evon Mary Aylwin herself from visiting them. Yet so it was, and up to this time she had never been in Mr. Croomes's house ex-

capt when the boys were shut up at lessons or

had gone to bed. Mr. Cruomes pointed out that to make any exception whatever to his rule would give rise to jealousies and ill-feeling. Now, it must be known that Mary A vivin had. as was natural enough, seeing that she was pretty as well as the mistress of a fortune, another lover besides Mr. Croomes—namely, Dr. Nusbett the medical practitioner of the village. Dr. Nisbett did not love Mr. Croomes, and the dislike he had for his rival was heightened by proyoung gentlemen were ever so out of health as to require the doctor's care, and Dr. Nisbett saw a source of profit denied to him. Who can wonder that he had his own op vion about Rupert Croomes, and considered the favour with which Miss Aylwin regarded him as utterly misplaced? It so chanced that Mr. Visbett was going to town on a visit to the Nelson. New Zealand, tells the following odd London Hospital, where a potient of his was story of a cow's judousy of a dog. It will be obto us dergo an operation, on the same more. served that it was a New Zasland cow and a New in China it cannot but be invaluable occasioning as Mrs. Bailey and the Honourable Claude Zealand dog :set out for their destination. The doctor saw thenight into a can at the London terminus, and "Rose," which certainly was fond of Thomas, the went on his own way to the hospital. He noticed man who milked her regularly, and she also showthe Hopenrable Claude's preternaturally sharp | ed an aversion to dogs even greater than is usual expression, and decided in his own mind that the in her species. One night, for what reason I poor boy was being forced on too fast in his studies. now forget, I had tied up a young collie dog in Dismissing this matter from his mind be did the little cow-shed where she was accustomhis work at the hospital, and about four o'clock | ed to be milked. The following morning. I had

foun i himself outside its doors again. He had just begun to dress, when I heard the puppy plenty of time on his hands, and began to stroll barking in the cow-shed. "Oh!" thought I, slowly westwards, thinking of the case he "I forgot to tell Thomas about the pappy. had just left. His nose was in the air and his and now the cow will get in first and gore eyes fixed on the sky. Naturally he tumbled it." The next minute I heard a roar of unstreet and got under his feet. The boy carried I dashed down to the spot, and at the same moa bundle, and, when the doctor upset him and ment arrived my son, pitchfork in hand. There WALES, and European Possessions, Vol 27a. his bundle into the gutter, he swore fiercely, as lay Thomas on his face, in a dry gutter by the AMERICA, North, South, Central and is the liabit of the London boy. The doctor side of the road to the cowhouse, and the cow West Indies, Vol. 30. looked down and sur ---

The doctor pounced upon him and carried him breath. "Why, Thomas," said I "what's the Nations, and the Independent Empires and into a ham and beef shop. The Honourable matter with "Rose" " "Well sir," said States, Vol. 29.

for his money.

A rumour of an outbreak of small-pox spread along his legs showed where ' Hore's' horns had through the village. A decree for vaccination grated along them. "Well," said I, "you'd went for h. None were to be exempt, high or better not milk her this morning, since she's in low, rich or poor, anless; they could prove a re- each a fury." "Oh! I'll milk her right enough, o nt operation. Children are, of course, parti- sir, by-and-by; just give her a little time to cularly susceptible, and the first place at which settle down like. It's only jealousy of that 'ere CEYLON HAND-BOOK-AN Dr. Nisbett, as parish doctor and public vac-cineter, presented himself was Mr. Croomes's ling of it." "Well, as you like," said I; "only IIIIS Volume, which forms a valuable Rehouse. Mr. Croomes was furious. All his young take care and mind what you're about." "All gentlemen bud been viccinated. Sir Robert right, sir!" In about twenty minutes Thomas and a General Handbook thereto, is widely cir-Driver, the great Landon surgion, had inspect called me down to see the milk. The cow had culated not only in the Island but throughout 2 ed them only a mouth before. "Can't help that," said the dretain "

see them for myself." "One of them, I know, has never been vaccinat- jealousy theory. After that I believed. ed," said the doctor.

"Forgive me; but how can you know that?" asked Rupert. "I saw him yesterday."

Rupert started ... "What ? Where? Did you see him here? Who was it?" him in Whitechapet, and his name was-the never knew till then what a difference there is Honourable Claude Regison. Mr. Eupert Cromes turned pale. The doctor 'lifted."

rose and stood before the fire. isn't if rather blown?"

Mr. Croomes muttered a curse.

I to clear out of this. If you're not gone by then I gentlemen set out next morning to spend a day summer of 1832. The trouble first came upon "Is it possible that I have been the victim of at the Crystal Palace. It must have been a me in 1876, when I was torty-two years old again. As for the doctor, he picked up Mr. healthy. Then, however, I began to feel tired, "It really looks like it," rejoined Mr. Ayl. Croomes's house very cleap; and when Mary weary, and languid, and gradually I had to conwin; "and it is strange that I should discover Aylwin recovered from the shock he married sider myself a week, sickly woman. At first I it in this accidental way. I never even knew her. Moreover, to his credit be it spoken, had a bad teste in the month, and a sinking sonthat there was such a title in the Peerage till whenever the doctor is in the neighbourhood of sation at the pit of the stomach. My appetite you told me Lord Renison's son was one of your the London Hospital the Honourable Claude was poor, and what little Late gave me pain in pupils, and the very next week I ran up against enjoys a "blow-out" at the ham-and-heef shop, the chest and sides. My food seemed to create -St. James's Garella.

THE LAND OF DIVORCES.

A writer on "Civilization, Morality, and

Social Order in the United States" in Black. wood's Magazine, gives some interesting statistics as to the number of divorces in the Great Republic. The annual number of divorces granted in the United States cannot (he says) be accurately ascertained, but can be calculated Suffolk County, in the State of Massachusetts, showed 234 cases. The 1890 census gave the not successful, it is probably within the mark to from my body. My appetite returned and I for Suffolk County exceeded 234; and so, busing had taken six bottles I was a new woman. this affair about the Honourable Claude Regison "experienced divorce lawyer will take cases at desire others to know of what did me so much ranted free from anything injurious to the most reduced prices." It was ascertained that his good, and to this end you have my consent to deflecte constitution of either sex, the Proprietors desired. The court costs amount to \$15. so for do so. professional services not more than \$9 remain-

ed. But, in addition, he might recover costs from a husband. In a published interview he was reported to have said that he got divorce cases in such large quantities, and did the businass so expeditiously, that he could cut a little on the regular prices. A great many bogns divorces are being constantly foisted upon man and women by swindling lawyers whose fees are regulated by what they can got their xictims to pay. Surely, with an accumulation of many years of divorced persons scattered throughout the United States, and met everywhere socially, their number is too considerable to be innoceous to the rising generation. In fact, with very few exceptions, all the boys and girls from their infancy upwards absorb the poisonous atmosphere around them, and can and freshness of mind and manner. The youth of the United States soon drop out of the category, "For of such is the kingdom of dyspersia. beaven." They are exposed to so many risks that it is not safe to keep them ignorant of the the saccess of Seigel's Syrup over what seems ways of the world; and mothers have to put to be-but it not-a multitude of different yellow label and usus Trade Mark, a 'White Rose,"

TIME'S INFLUENCE ON THE

enter their teens.

DOMESTIC SERVANT. A writer in the Queen, discussing the domestic servant edestion, says :- Who now keeps house ourable Claude. "May I keep these duds?" and in the old way P-who, that is, of the upper half of the middle class? Where are the Mrs. Delamys of olden time? Where do we find the lomesticated Lady who one day will show with the best at Court; the next will assist in turn- this. Work stands unrivalled: All the new ing her four years' "imperial silk" to make words which the Chinese have of late years been artful contrivances; and the next again will jects in muchinery, photography, telegraphy, personally superintend the cooking of the and in science generally, which the rapid advance dinner given to half a dozen hungry guests? of foreign relations has imposed upon them, are This Lady is no more to be found in Queen here given in extenso. Each and every word is Victoria's time then is the dode in the southern fully illustrated and explained, forming exercises hemisphere. But she was by no means a for students of a most instructive nature. Both "phenomenon" when Farmer George queried the Court and Punti pronunciations are given how the apples got inside the dumpling, and the accents being carefully marked on the best good Queen Charlotte ruled her world with Gerprinciple hitherto attained. The typography
man thrift and strict punctiles. And if the
displays the success of an attempt to make the
ladies of the upper and middle classes have
Chinese and English type correspond in the size
giats.

Proprietor THOMAS KRATING, London. changed as much as they have, is it logical of body, thereby effecting a vast economy of ed the caraful seclusion in which the pupils were to expect the servants to remain just the space, achieving a clearness not previously same as they were? The influences which attained, and dispensing with those wast margins THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE have made life so different for the one and vacant spaces which have heretofore characnecessarily make it different for the torized Chinose publications. other. These increased facilities for locomotion stir the desires of Melly all the same following facts are submitted for consideration :is ber mistress; and she yearns for a return Chalmers'. Vocabulary contains about 16,000 HONGKONG TELEPHONEEXCHANGE home or for a week's heliday, for an outing pure Chinese characters, and Medhurst's English, and simple, or for the mere pleasure of seeing and Chinese Distionary about 100,000, whilst 25.—Aberdeen Dock 32.—Hongkong Hotel wears a fringe? Surely not! The troubles cations and equivalents of different words which our white-capped friends are women before they lished. are servants. We cannot expect two incocon- For fessional indignation. None of Mr. croomes's cileable things-professional superiority and professional sub-arrienes.

ARE COWS JEALOUS?

In the Spectator, Mr. C. Hunter Brown,

A few years ago, I had a quiet milch-cow,

butting angrily at him. We drove off the cow, "Well, I'm dashed!" said the Honourable and poor Thomas souffled across the road, slipped through a wire fence, stood up and drew and Australasia, containing the Colonies of all Claude went quietly, keeping a firm grip on his Thomas. "I heard the pup bark and untied RUSSIA and POLAND, Vol. 24. ITALY him, and I was just coming out of the cow. | Vol. 26, and other volumes. Half an hour later the doctor emerged, called | house, with the pup in my arms, when ' Rose' a hansom, drove to the station and took the first carne round the corner. As soon as she see'd train home. His pocket was emptier by two the pup in my arms she rushed at me without sovereigns than it was when he met the Houser-more ado, knocked me down, and would have able Claude; but he thought he bad got value killed me if you hadn't come up." Thomas had, The next day a remarkable thing happened. ripped up from end to end, and red marks all

"A RIFLE BALL AND A CHRIST

MAS BOX." At the battle of Gellusburg a rifle ball broke "No, not here," replied Dr. Nisbett, "I have my right arm just below the shoulder, and I between an arm to lift with and an arm to be

So said an American officer the other day when "It's a capital way. Croomes," he said, smiling a few of us were talking about the mystery of genially, "of getting a school together. It's life in the human body. Yet lots of people anvery ingenious and, considering the stakes you derstand the principle. What do they mean 1893, being from the 31st year of the 75th were playing for not exponsive at all. But- when they say, "I could searcely crawl," I had | Cycle to the 30th year of the 76th Cycle. to fairly lug myself along," &c.P Why, simply Mr. Croomes muttered a curse. that the body had lest its surplus power: it had Hongkong: Published at the Pally Now," pursued the doctor. "I'll give you become a harden, instead of an instrument in Office, Sold by all Scoksellers.

A woman writes in this way : I had constant. RUSINESS -look out!" And he walked out of the house. Ity to lie down on the court and rest. I have Mr. Croomes, Mrs. Bailey, and eleven young barely strength to crawl about. This was in the wind, which rolled all over me. I got so bad that night after night I was unable to sleep. was at times in great agony, and it I had not been obliged to work I should have taken to my

bed. As it was, I struggled on as best I could; I saw a dector and took various medicines, but none of them appeared to do me any good. "I continued in this wretched state for seven rears-1876 to 1883. Then came the help had waited for so long and so hopolessly. In December of that year a little book was left at my house telling of a medicine called Mother Seigel's Syrup, and my husband read of a cuse roughly. Recently an official list of divorce like mine having been oured by it; and I felt a libels awaiting trial in the Supreme Court for strong desire to try the medicine, but we could

not spare the money.

"However, when my husband returned from total population of the county as 484,780, of Bungay on Christmas Eve he pulled out of his which 448,177 were resident in the city of parcel a bettle of Seigel Syrup and said. See, I mended Boston. The twenty-five cities in Massachusetts have brought you a Christmas-boz, and it provhad 1,337.164 inhabitants, and the total popule- ed to be the most valuable one I ever had in my tion of the States was 2.238,943. As divorce life. I began taking the medicine at once, and cases are generally of short duration, and few are found great relief. It seemed to lift a weight hold that the number of divorces granted in 1891 gradually gained strong h, and by the time I the calculation upon that number, it would ap- could go about my laundry work with case and pear that in one year two of every 2.072 of the pleasure. I still take an occasional dose, and population of all ages were divorced; 3,402 per- keep in good health, for which I have to thank some were divorced in the State of Mas-achusetts; Mother Seigel's Syrup. I know of many in this and 60.434 in the whole United States, with a district who have received great benefit from population of 62,662.2.0. Recently an advertise- the Syrup, one or two of the neighbours stating ment appeared in a Chicago newspaper that that but for it they would not now be alive. I

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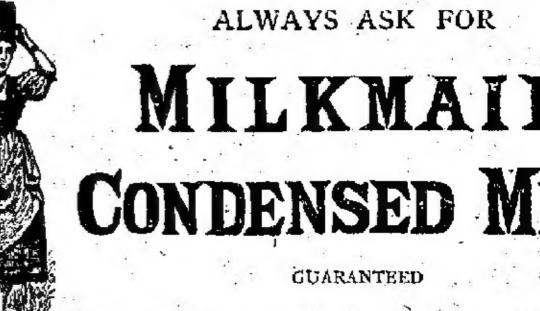
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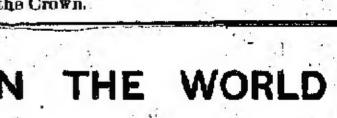
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anger-her mother's inquisitiveness-and Miss put this and that together, and her extraordinary het cup of tea." actions might reach the ears of the officers of "But why should I give you the trouble," justice. Why couldn't ale have put off the urged Kate, "Mrs. Springfeld will be home evil day until she and Dr. Lushington were apart | directly. if the police were already on her track. She it ready for her against she comes nome." trembled in everyglimb, so that she could hardly stand. A noise fell on the stairs, and sho almost screamed as her ear encountered it. She was round of breed on a toasting-fork in his hand, conscious of but one desire, to fly away and be no more teen by suy of them. With this in-

nothing for that. Bold and fearless from Wednesday night." her childhood; and only anx one to escape the Kute shuddored. observation of those within doors, she plunged into the thick mist thankful'y, and was soon lost to view. What she intended to do or what shadowy plans were floating through her brain to learn from this stranger's lips-a man of 'a as she thus left her home she could not have class presumably beneath her own-what the explained herself, but she broathed freer as she goneral public thought and said about the murder. Manor Farm behind lior. Only to get away- her brother's opinion, but they saw it from a mother's tearful entreaties, from the desire of herself. So she replied, after a pause : all three of them that she should speak out what "Very mysterious—at present. But I suppose thought—"was in her mind and say why all her ideas and they are sure—the police I mean—to find out. "That you wishes had changed in a single day. The driving I who did it." consider she would have said that in the morning | him." she meant to reach the railway station at Snares. brook, and go by the first train to Loadon, and there it would be easy to get work as a shopgirl, or a governess, or a sick narse, (she l

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upon her. Young people are always so sure thay

can make life what they wish to have it, and overleap the obstacles (however formidable) in marder took place, by the doctor's account. You the way. But it soon became apparent to Kate | ee, I'd been over to Snaresbrook, and being that she could not walk about the Common all hew to the country side. I came by the longest night. The fog was becoming worse such min- way, and reached the moor after dark, and didn't -ute. It penetrated her thick clock, and made its know for the life of me where I was going. Miss Kaie's presence. way down her throat, causing her to cough in a Well. I had quite an adventure that night, and she could be. She knew she had walked in a the blows weren't dealt by the one is I thought straight line from her father's house, and should dealt them." be not far from Miss Noble's cottage. It was very difficult to find the high road, but at last she stumbled on by accident, recognising it by the the story, you shall hear it, but we travellers are to give you so much trouble. sound of gravel under her feet, and in a short time a little rough in our play sometimes. I was Paget's, living on that side the Common. She | for this new, and doubled up to her." had been Kate's nurse in the bye-gone days, and once, when her impotnous little charge had run | tried to kiss her," cried Kate breathlessly. away in disobodience to orders. Betsy in parsuluc

allowance. And it had come into Kate's mind thousand smotions spread over her speaking face. The unlighted passage. The bolts were soon that if she could gain Betsy's cottage in the fog. It was changing from red to white; her oyes the old woman would willingly give her shelter gleamed; her broath was drawn in gasping pants. till the morning, and she would be far away . Tell me," she said, in a sufficiating voice, before she could tattle the news' to the Manor "are you sure it was a woman you encountered. Farm. How she should account to Nurse Betsy Mr. Banks?" for her appearance there, when her father's house was so near at hand, she left to the fortune itn know a woman by this time, when I've get her of the moment, for her head was too weak and in my arms, and my arms were round on an no bewildered by crying to think of anything mistake, though I only meant it for a joke. But coherently. wandering about Barefoot Common, not a stone's | taken, but there's a thing I can't get over nor throw from the Menor House, and, imagining | be mistaken about." that she had out her ties to it, loose for ever. "And what's that?" For God's aske speak !" Bets,'s cottage, which was an ugly little o odern | unenstrollable impatisues. structure, built of glaring red brick and stone.

half a mile distant from Miss Noble's, She stoppered a good deal as sue traversed the slight | Sippery came right off in my hand." h avily up against the gorden-pelings, bruising her frook. herself as she did so. But she had accomplished | Kato gazed at it for a moment with distanced had to repeat the action s-versi times before her Banks, I shall never be able to reward you for the happy discovery she had just made of her enquions was attended to, and when the door this to the end of my life." was at last open d, all was derkness within the | And sinking into her chair again, she pressed

Kete. I have lost my way in the fog, and have flood of tears. come to you for the night."

I dare say she won't be long." Kato was thrown completely aback. Nurse had time to make any inquiries on the subject-Retsy's absence was a contingency she had nover | before, indeed. Kate's eyes had left off streamtaken into account. "Out!" she exclaimed; "out, in this for ?"

poot it's the fog that's kept her, as she ought to have been back an hour ago. voice of dismay. "Won't you come in and sit down till Mrs.

and, after all, she would be gone in the morn- | goings-on as I never allowed, nor will," ing. So she replied, diffidently, "I think I had | "My goodness! no!" exclaimed the innocent umbrella descending on his crown." walk back in this fog." She stepped over the threshold as she spoke.

ing in the grate and a paraffin lamp upon the my dear? And what is the matter? Mr. might have made you a duchess. table. The man had evidently been reading and Banks haven't said nothing to bring you to such smoking, for his paper and pipe lay on the table state. I hope." also, and his seat-u Windsor chair with stuffed "No. indeed!" oried the indignant and much cushions-was drawn up to the light. But as injured Banks. soon as Kate entered the kitchen, he thrust for. "No, indeed!" reiterated Kate, smiling through ward the chair for her acceptance, and knocked her tears. "I came here of my own accord, Springfold, who was nodding in her chair. the ashes from his pipe into the fire.

fully, "for it's almost as cold and as damp there | the Manor Farm.

Kate, in a low voice. The poor girl was so ex- crimson with excitement, she was gleriously but my position hardly warrants my accepting . C. M. S. N. Co bardly seemed to care what did or did not hap transformation with amazement. pen to her, and the incongruity of sitting in Nurse Betsy's kitchen with a strange man never | dearie! No! that you can't do. Your pa and ma! struck her for a moment.

"Yes, marlam, I am. Banks is my name; but that masty, murdering Common, too, and at prise, "I little thought to meet you here!" I've only been here a weak. Nice old lady, Mrs. eleven o'clock at night. What next?"

sho'd be hack in half-an-hour. But I expect They will think I ain lost !" she's missed her way, as you did, and is wander-Won't your pomove your hat, madam !" Oh! my hair is all down. It is wet through. with the fog." said Kate, half-laughing and halferving at the predicament in which she found

keltle, and setting the tea things on the table, rest, so I went out for a walk and lost myself in adrift from you all, and my position, though Kate stell several glances at him as he was so the fog. And they know nothing of it at home, honest, is not that of a gentleman. We shall of Dr. Lusbington and realised that the engage- employed. He was a short, dark, young man, of so if mother goes to my room she will be frigh- be better apart." upon her at once suspicion, enquiry, and peruaps. Mr. Banks was the agent for a large scap firm in In imagination she anticipated her father's counties with a view to securing patronage. "When the kettle boils," he remarked, pre-

-until she could have written to him, and given a "I, hope she may, madam, but she'll want a cooler and less in other ent statement of her wishes, cup of tea herself. This fog will try the poor The girl was fearfully agitated. She felt as old lady's rheumatics sadily, and I generally get "You must be a kind man," said Kate, as shi

watched him kneeling before the fire with

Mr. Banks laughed in a sheepish manner. tent she hurriedly envil ped herself in a cleak think there are few fellows but would like to wait and hat, and, slipping down the back stairs into upon a lady. I call it an honour, and a provi the garden, issued thence by a wicket gate upon dence too, that you happened upon the right outstretched hand. the Common. The evening was drawing to a house, for it's not right for you to be wandering close, and it was so foggy that Kate could about. On the Common, too. I suppose you've

> Oh! yes! I've heard of it. " Twas a mysterious business, wasn't it ?" At that, a great curiosity seized Kate Paget

fog best full in her face, making her curly hair . "I don't know how they'll set about it. The means of relieving your mind." knew that she was walking away from all that the initials H. C. on his linen. I dare say they her own way. "Did I hit very hard? Did it made life dear to her, and she had no notion where may find his family, by and by, but his murderer, hurt very much P" she was walking to or what she wanted to attain. | no! never! There's nothing to trace him by.

But when -what do the people round about here think?" demanded Kate. "Well, madam, they think nothing, except to thank the Lord it didn't happen to them. didn't care which) so long as she hid her got cause to do that myself, for I was on

"Yes," replied the girl, listlessly. "Indust, I was, and not long before the

" What blows !" said Kate. "Well, madem, if you'll excuse my telling you

"Well, vos. I'm ashamed to say I did, or somehad crippled her and rendered her unfit for active I was altograther mistaken, when down on my cortain, even now," service. So Mr. Paget had given the old woman head came first one whack and then another, "Lor! Well, that blundering Polly Rich terms of the T. A., as also Directors of Public a cottage and twenty pounds a year for life, and which toppled me clean over. I'll declare these told me that the wedding day was fixed, and Gardens from Sir Joseph Hooker, F.R.S. 'she eked-out a living by taking in needlework blows never came from a woman's hand. Why, your goding was staying at the Manor Farm to downwards, and so have all planters. and letting a couple of her rooms. Notwith | my head was braised black and blue the next | help with the trussore." standing that Kate had been the cause of her day. Mrs. Springfoldscan bear me witness how . "I dare say it will be indeed, I'm almost sure Subscription, including postage, in advance :

her old nurse, or to take her ten or coffee, or During this narrative Kate had risen from her other luxuries, not easily obtainable on a limited | chair and was confronting the stranger. A

"Woll," replied Banks, sheepishly, "I ought her blows were so powerful that I've been topp-Hed it not been so she would hardly have been | ted once or twice to ask myself if I wasn't mis-

lot fly I tried to hold her wrist, and this hit of lamp. And as he spoke he held up before her the silk

But in answer a man's voice replied. "Mrs. slarm. The girl's notions were so unaccount if he knew the truth, perhaps he would forgive Springfold is out, madam, but if you'll walk in able that he began to be afraid that he had been me. entertaining a lunatic unawares. But before he ing with tears—a series of taps were heard on the front door, and he edged out into the pas-"Yes, madem the same as yourself; and I ex- sage to admit Mrs. Springfold.

it." you go through to the kitchen as fast as his lips seal forgiveness on her own. They sat "Oh, what shall I do ?" said Kate, in a low you can, There's a young woman there, taken some little time together whilst Kate entered Belgic, Britishatr., 2,695, Wm. Walker, June 5, awfully bad. I think she's a bit 'dotty." "A young woman," replied Nurse Betsy, and its coasequences, and then Mr. Paget ex. Bisagno. Ital. etc., 1, 199, Bacebiarini, June 4, Springfold returns?" said the man. "There's beginning to ruffle herself up like a hen at once. claimed -What business has any voung woman in my The girl was disappointed and cast back upon kitchen? I hope she hasn't come after you, sir." herself, but the sound of a fire was very inviting, she continued, sharply, to the ledger. "them's

better. I don't know what else to do. I can't Banks, "she asked for you, as soon as I opened "O father! don't laugh at him. He is so the door to her." "For me!" said Nurse Betsy, bustling into the The man closed the door behind her, and, strik- kitchen, and then, as her eye fell upon Kate ing a-match, lighted her way to the kitchen, (still weeping in the Windsor chair) she conwhich was the back room on the same floor. It tinged, "Lord bless us and save us. Miss Katie. looked cosy and cheerful, with a good fire burn- Why, whatever brings you here on such a night, Lushington so quickly. Kate. This crack pate

nurse. I lost my way-I mean the fog was so "Ob, I shall be disturbing you," she cried, thick I couldn't see my way home, so I thought Banks, as he walked slowly to the front parlour. Houngshan, British str., 1,051, W. E. Clarke stopping backwards. "Indeed, I would rather I would come here and ask you to put me up for "Did you mention my name, sir ?" he continued, not. I will wait for Mrs. Springfold in the the night. But I have heard semething-I mean as he confronted Mr. Paget. I am much better now-and I will put on my "I hope you won't," said the man respect | things and go back. I must go back at once to daughter's name, for the crack she seems to have Ingraban, German str., 876, E. Piper, June 9,

as optside. If you'll kindly give me your closk, She did not look like the same creature that, for your attention to her to night. If you would Kingchew, British str., 238, T. A. Webster, I'll hang it up in the passage to dry; and let tearful and despondent, had entered the cottage like to come over and see us at the Manor Farm me put this chair nearer the fire for you; it so short a time before. Standing in the centre sir, whon this fog has cleared off, you'll be wel- | Kongsee, British str., 696, H. Mevill, June 6, of the kitchen, drawn up to her full beight, with come-heartily welcome." "Thank you. You are very kind," replied her eyes glowing with happiness and her cheeks . "I thank you, Mr. Paget, for your kindness, Kwang-lee, Chinese str., 1,508, Liucolu, June 6, hausted by all elie had gone through that she handsome, and Mr. Banks gazed at the sudden, it."

would never forgive me if I allowed it," said Nurse "Are—are you the lodger?" she asked him, Betsy. "Why, the fog's twice as thick as it to fear. was. You might cut it with a knife. And over "Ted!" exclaimed Dr. Lushington, with sur-Springfold, but rather hard of hearing. She "Oh. nurse, you must let me go. I know the knowledge that I did not knowingly thrust my.

went off to the general shop near the post-office, way so well. I can find it in the dark. And self on your presence. But I will go. I thank you know, at about seven o'clock, and she said father and mother will be so anxious about me. you, sir, for your kindness, but I cannot accept. "And do you mean to tell me, Miss Kate, as And he turned to leave the room, but his ing about somewhere for Prospect Cottage. the master and mistress don't know where you've | brother rushed between him and the door.

come to. How's that p" " Oh, I've been naughty, nurse. " Ah, you was allus naughty from a child." "I know I was, but I mean to be good now. I've had such a lesson. I got in one of my tem- and now I have found you I will not let you go. Meanwhile Mr. Banks was busy refilling the pers and went up to my room. But I couldn't To what purpose, Charlie I have out myself

"Oh, how can I be patient when I think of him we do not part again." Landon, and was travelling through the northern them Po oried Kate, whose face was burning - "Quite right Charlie, Blood is thicker than Taiylok, German str., 90's, N. Emke, Jane 10, with anxiety.

"You should have thought of them, my desire. Farm with us to-night." Noble's tearful remonstrance. They would re- scattly, "I'll take the liberty, with your permiss afore you set out. But it is better they should "And let Kate plead for me-Kate, who will quire an immediate explanation. The news sion to make your out of ten, for there's nothing have a few hours' suspense than you should so soon be your sister." would fly through the household. People would better to keep out the cold and damp than a good catch your death in this fog. Come now, sit "Yes, Mr. Lushington, please de come, as I down like a good child and drink your ten. And shall think you have not forgiven me those Woosung, British str., 1,109, Herris, June 7, you, draw nearer to the fire, sir," continued, dreadful cracks on the head." Nurse Betsy, to Mr. Banks. "Miss Katie would | "May they have cracked all my follies out of be the last to wish to drive you from your own me," langhed the younger man. "To-morrow, place. I'm sure."

Banks was so very kind to me in your absence. have found my brother again. I have to thank him for such;" and as the young | He extended his hand, and Dr. Lushington men drew his chair deferentially towards hor sho | grasped it warmly, whilst Ted whispered to Kate: smiled broadly upon him. Banks felt a little "You said a while ago that I had restored "Oh! as to that I'm sure I don't know, but I astonished when Mrs. Springfold left the room them back to me a rain' to lay aside her walking things to see the young lady leave her seat and approach him with an "we must be trudging homeward. Get on

apologise for my grass incivility. But it was in Botsy; I'll send you a fat goose for this, and the dark, you see, and I -I -- bad no idea --- ' good-night to you, sir, whom we shall expect to Penahaw, British bark, 775, Word, Mry "Say nothing more about it. I forgive it all breakfast to-morrow." struck cut across the pathless moor and left the She had listened to her father's, her lover's, and freely. But if you had not retained the frill So out they want again into the fog; but Spinaway, Brit. S.m. sch., 325, Tarrick, May S1. of my dress I might have been haunted by a their hearts beat too warm to feel it, and Kate that was her unspoken thought-away from different point of view What the people said nomeless terror to my grave. Do you under- whispered as she squeezed her lover's arm :-Charlie's sad and r proachful eyes, from her would give her a better idea of how much stand? When the poor murdered man was disfath r's rough-spoken commands and her danger there was of its-being tracked home to covered, and it was determined he had been myself. The Luckiest Girl in Yorkshire." killed by blows on the head. I thought-I

"That you had done it by mistake. How terrible. How glad I am to have been the innk and wet, and evering her ulster with rings of poor man was a complete stranger here. Some "Yes!—And there is more behind—more than moisture. Kata shuddered, too, as she marched say he was on a walking tour, and others, that I camexplain to you now," exclaimed Kate, almost along, but it was more from heart-sickness and he was in my line, a travelling agent. But he disposed to relapse into her hysterical condition, pain than the inclemency of the weather. She hadn't any cards nor letters about him-and only but she turned it off, laughing, and asked him in

"It hart abominably," returned the young In Walnut case, carved and polished. Her purse was in her pocket, and it was always It's a sad case, very. I can't help feeling for the man, laughing also. "I had a lump on my head well supplied, and perhaps had she stopped to poor follow myself, though I never set eyes on as big as an ostrich's egg. And you quite dazed O. Scale, Six Sets of Reeds, Fifteen Stops, viz. me with that second blow. "I am so sorry," cried Kate; " I did it with

But you know that you deserved it." "Oh, I acknowledge that, humbly. Only I never expected to meet a lady on the Common' Barefoot Common that night and it might just slone so late at night. But you have extended Notes Pedal Reeds, 16 feet Pitch. and cluded the justice she believed was marching as well have been me that was murdered as him," your gracious forgiveness to me, and I am

power to give you," said Kate, in a low voice.

You have restored my life and hope to mo." At that moment Mrs. Springfold returned. adorned with a clean cap and apron in honour of A MONTHLY RECORD OF INFORMATION FOR harsh manner She stopped to consider where sometimes I wonder now if I was mistake 1, and dear," she said, as she came forward. "You won't mind sleeping in the same room with your old nursio, as you've done many and many a time

> " No, nurse, of course not, though I'm sorry "Trouble, my dear! When have I over

> over and tell me all about it herself."

miefortune, Betsy Springfold-or Nurse Betsy, bad I was and what a headache I had. And it will." said Kate, hesitatingly; and then she -was exceedingly fond and proud of her, and hit me as hit this poor fullow and sent him to knocking at the door. I hear my father's voice, O, the girl often looked in to have a "crack." with his death. But I suppose I shall never know." | nurse, let them in quickly, or my heart will burst." The old woman bobbled away to do her bid. £1 10s. (or R18), carriage prepaid. ding, and Kate rashed after her and stood in heard demanding for his daughter.

seen or heard anything of ber?" But before Mrs. Springfold had time to reply, ropean and American agriculturists. Being a Levaks, British bolt, 1,126, Trivis, May 16, Eate had rushed into his arms. "O, father, father, forgive me! I am here." Mr. Paget did not appear as though he would | during each month.

take her to task too hardly "Why, my darling | my lamb!" he exclaimed, Assistant Director of Kew Gardens, writing of Siemseen & Co. in a broken voice, as he held her tightly to his the T. A., refers to it as "an astonishing re- Oh-kim-sone, British sole, S.6, Morton, June 2, breast. "What is this all about ? Why have pertory of everything relating to the economic, you given us all such a fright, you jade? There's | botany of the East." It was a me time before Kate found Nurse exclaimed Kate, as she stamped her foot in her some mystery here I don't understand. Come For the sale of plants, seeds, machinery, and tell me all about it; " and he draw her into implements, &c., used in tropical (tea, sugar, "Why, this," roplied Mr. Banks, diving into the little front parlour as he spoke, in which Mrs. fibres, &c.) agriculture, no better advertising and standing all by itself on the high ay, about his pocket. "When the young woman began to Springfold presently bustled with the paraffin medium exists.

idid you break off your engagement with Ur. Above twelve brave, upright girl. Tell me the whole truth." Half. "Oh! i will, father: thank God I can," she Whole her purpose and reached her haven, and she eyes, thou, with a loud scream, darted forward murmured, still with her face hidden on his brightened up as she found the wicket gute, and and seized it from his hand. "Ob, thank God! breast. And they, raising her eyes only to his, rapped with her fingers on the front door. She thank God!" she cried, eastatically. "Oh, Mr. she told him the story of her impetnosity, and

mistake. "How could I have married Charlie with the silken frill to her lips, and rocking herself such a horrible doubt upon my mind, father-"Oh, Nurse Betsy," she exclaimed, "it is I backwards and forwards, burst into a hysterical ke, who is so honourable and with so unstained a l reputation? It might have been brought home Mr. Banks retreated a few steps in evident to me any day and broken both our hearts. But

" Ask him, Katie," said her father. "Come to me, Katie," said her lover's voice. Then she turned her head and saw him standing there-with the trace of his sudden disappointment visible on his face- and with a joyful Ancona, Brit. str., 1,589, W. D. Madie, Jane 5 exclamation that told of her restored happiness. 'I say, mother?' he exclaimed, as he opened she flow from her father's arms to his, and felt Batavia, British str., 2,550, J. R. Hill, May 3: liuto a more detailed explanation of her escapade

> we owe some reparation to your knight, Kate, who must indeed have been the knight of the rueful countenance, when he felt your stout pice, and quite a gentleman. I fancy his birth City of Briffist, Brit. str., 1,415, McAlpin, June must be above his occupation."

"I shouldn't wonder if he turned out a noble- Denteros, German str. 1,198, W. Dinse, June 8 man in disguise." laughed Mr. Paget. "It's a pity you've renewed your engagement with Empress of Chins, British str., 3,003, Archibald "Is it a pity?" whispered Dr. Lushington, with his lips very close to hers.

"Mr. Banks! here! I want to speak to you, bawled Mr. Paget into the passage. "They be a calling for you, sir," quoth Mrs. "O Lord! now I'm in for it." exclaimed "I did. I wish to apologise to you in my

given your unfortunate skull, and to thank you

"My daughter's future husband, Dr. Lushing-"Go back to the Manor House at once, my ton, will join his persuasions to mine, Mr. Banks." The stranger turned his head quickly. "Dr. Lushington!" he repeated, in a tone skin | Moogkut, British str. 859, Anderson, June 5,

"Not so, Ted," he exclaimed. "I have mourned our separation desply. You and your destiny have often weighed heavily on my mind I have Pekin, British str., 11, Matthew. June 9 regretted the harshuss of the family decision,

"I do not acknowledge it. If you are honest "I should think she would, finely, though she it is all I care to hear, and I will work my hard-

water. Make him come home to the Manor

then, Charlie, I will call and see you, and give Zambe-i, British str., 1,560, Edwards, May "Indeed, indeed I would," exclaimed Kate, as you the explanations you are entitled to; and she turned her glowing face upon him. "Mr. till then, I shall sleep the better to think I

"Come, now !" cried Mr. Paget, presently; your clock and hat child. It won't do to "Shake hands with me. Mr. Banks," she ex- keep your poor mother any longer in suspense. not see a yard before her, but she cared heard of the murder that took place on it last you have saved me from to-night. I must tell when we left. Henry and Hodgson are outside you the truth, but keep my secret. The frill with the lauterns, and they must be pretty you gave me came off my own dress. You will well tired of waiting for us by this time. Tuck "Good beavens!" cried the young man, loan- won't be satisfied with my old fin now, and put

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PONS of this COMPANY will be paid at the Office of the CRARTERED BANK OF INDIA. AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA: Houckes ; on and after TO-DAY. Hongkong, loth June, 1892. HONGKONG AND SHAVOR II BANK.

NOTICE is hereby given, That a GENE-RAL METTING, of the SHARE. HOLDERS in this Componarron will be held at the Ciry Hall, Hongkong, on SACUR-DAl, the 25th day of Joke current, at Noon, for the purpose of appointing Auditor. By Order of the Court of Directors. F. DE BOYIS.

ING CORPORATION.

Chief Manager. Hongkoug, 11th June, 182. THE STRAITS INSURANCE COM-

PANY, LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE: SINGAPORE.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the above OMPANY Will be CLUSE U in SINGAPORE from the 30th JUNE to 15th JULY, both days By Order of the Board of Directors,

ALEX R. CATTO. Acting Agent. Hougkong, 11th June, 18:2.

THE HONGRONG ELECTRIC COM-PANY, LIMITED.

of SHAREHOLD RS in the above Company give good inducement to reliable man. will to beld at the Company's defice No. 6. ICE-HOUSE LANE. THIS DAY (SATUR. DAY), the 11th JUNE, at Noon, for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accousts to 30th April, 1892, and obsering Threethes and Anditors. THE THYSEEAR BO KNOTHE COMPANY will be GLOSED from the 28th May to 11th JUNE, both days inclusive, By Order of the Foard of Directors.

HAS. F. HARTON, Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 11th Jane, 1892. THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHER DUA

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LIMITED. OTLOS is hereby given. That an FXTRA-ORDINARY HENFRAL MEETING of the PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SUMANTAN MINING COMPANY, LI-MITED, will be held at the Offices of the the ordinary Cast Bars, resisting intense lo al board "Lux Ox " in their continuation of the COMPANY, CONNAUGHT : OUBE, Queen's Road, heat better then any in the market. Users of Hongkong, at Noon, on MONDAY, the 20th Hougay Coal please note. day of JUNE. 1892, for the purpose of cou-

tions following: -

2. That the said Liquidator be and he is here by last year. authorize t to consent to the registration of a'n w Company to be named the PUNJOM MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, with a Momcrandum and Articles of Association which have already been prepared with thep isity and approval of the Directors of this Corn-

.-That the Draft Agreement submitted to this Meeting and apressed to be made between this Company and its Liquidator of the one part, and the Punjom Mining Company, Limited, of the other part, be and the same is bereby approved, and that the said Liquidator be and he is bereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of Section 149 of the Companies Ordinance, 1865. to enter into an Agreement with such new Company when incorporated in the terms of the said druft and to carry the same into effect with such (if niv) modifications as the Liquidator may think expedient Shard the above Besolutions be pass if by the requisite majority they will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions to a

Second "xbraordinary General Meeting which will be subsequently convened. By Order of the Board, A. O'D. GOURDIN, Secretary,

Hougkong, 8th Jule, 1892, NOTICE,

FAN MINING COMPANY, LIMITED, A LL PERSONS holding SCRIP in the above Company are requesed to send them in at once for TRANSFER. A Circu'ar will be sent to each Shareholder, in reference to the reconstruction of the Com-

A. O'D. GOUEDIN. Hongkeng, 25th May, 1892.

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Hongrong, June 11th, 1892.

THE examination of a bankrupt, like post mortem, sometimes reveals the secrets. suspected but could not be demonstrated 7.30:during life. Observations of great value Polks in the management of living cases are fre- Quadrille...... "En Masque" quently made under the knife, and in this way the misfortunes of one person may serve as danger signals to many. That is a theoretical use of bankruptcy proceedings, but whether the theory is justified by any conruptcy laws is a standing confession of failure

enough to test the merits of either system. process of whitewashing is not to be made the toils of the law, if only they failed for fire. This having been done without myone Pultatin things appear to be hopeful and cheerlarge enough sums or had held their heads being hurt, honour was declared estimied

high enough to culist the sympathy of society, has long been proverbial, and a reaction from such maudlin sentiment is by no means an unwholesome thing. The greater the sinner the greater the sin would be a much sounder maxim for public opinion riages and hunters and entertained aristocratic company his future comfort should

be provided for at the expense of his creditors, while the poor wretch who succumbs in the struggle for life owing £300 the death of Heu Chang, who was formerly a Court of Appeal in reference to the matter. As narrowly escapes penal servitude. case has of course features peculiar to granted the usual honours and remission of pecially coming at a time when the Codes have tried. Of the 21 cases, 20 were children under 16 itself. One man may have carried all before him by a plausible address and a pretentions style, while another has been frugal and industrious; one may have laid the foundations of his credit in the cloudy regions of prospective profits, while another has rigidly worked on definite contracts and exact figures. But the depreciation of silver and adverse markets fall like the rain, on all classes equally, and within the four walls of the Court there is about as little to distinguish individuals as there is in the drying room of a Turkish bath.

As human character will remain the same as it always has been and there will be in noon the future as in the past declivers and deceived in about the old proportions, i would be useless to moralize on the particular exhibitions which men make of themselves under the gentle pressure of cross-examination. It is of more practical interest to prevention of what is euphemistically called "irregularity" works. The first thing that must strike an outsider reading recent bankruptcy reports is the elaborate character of that machinery, and the intricate manner in which the labours of the banker and the merchant are interlaced. It is no simple question of lending money and receiving interest on it, but a perfect labyrinth of securities which he banks have to follow out in detail in order to collect from amongst the miscel- napping was investigated. A young women a landous cash receipts of the merchant the items which pertain to the particular parcels of goods on which they have advanced. Or the bank must deliver the goods package by package, requiring payment pro rata, on delivery. To carry out either of these processes efficiently would make demands on hard I bour. the combined establishments of the bank and the merchant such as it would be perhaps impossible to meet, without incurring expenses out of all proportion to dren. He says that unprincipled men entice the expected profits of the business. The solution of this difficulty has been found in traders, to whom they are sold. Product a new extension of the principle of hypothecation. The banks, advised by their lawyers, duties to the merchant. He is appointed guardian over himself; and in the double cap- equally potent or equally impotent. acity of borrower and trustee for the lender, obtains all the facilities for business he requires, and perhaps more than are altogother good for either bimself or his creditor. on the debtor, fortified by a signed document 1,000 piculs went to England; it was a specimen which is intended to put the signatory in a shipment, to see how it could be worked up in

Godown orders, keys of godowns, trust contrivances for keeping traders honest seen to be quite inadequate to prevent merchants carrying on a large business without capital, done can only be inferred from the isolated posed. These cases disclose a strange relationship between the bankers and the merchants, excess of confidence on the treated with great cruelty a girl whom she had ject as self-defence by sleight of body. Wrestone side, and no confidence at all on the other. The banker trusts, or affects to trust, that in the daily scramble for the means of making ends meet, the proceeds of the par-Chartrense Dr. Siegert's Angestura other parties concerned are merged in the never rose again. This is how Judge Lynch said he did not understand anything of Ju-jitsu, mostly in Second and Third Streets. They are Bitters, &c. general stream. But they who expect the gets in his work occasionally in China. impossible are sure to be disprointed and it is a poor consolation for misplaced man whom you have trusted to do the impossible. No confidence seems either sides a novel sort of machine intended to cope to be given or expected as from the merchant to the banker, for nothing comes out cident or during the calms which are encounterand address with communications addressed to the so plainly in all these public exposes as th complete ignorance in which the banker is All letters for publication should be written on one kept of the true position of his client. There is clearly something rotten in the way business is now conducted, which can only be

trap which is set for the borrower

The ten ex Empress of India arrived in N ork on the 9th inst.

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to 11 a.m. service at St. Peter's (Seamen's) Church, returning about 12.30.

Schottische "Witchery "Love's Old Sweet Song" ... Liddell.

Once again that farcical way of obtaining future before it, in developing the rich reredress for injuries received by a Frenchman in sources of the land, besides being of immense his person or in his honour, the modern duel, strategical value, in connecting the Amoor, the crete experience is another matter. The was resorted to at Saigon the other day. It "Yangtaza" of Siberia, with the shores of the periodical revolution of the British bank- appears that an article appeared recently in the Japan Sea. The immediate prospects of the Progres de Saigon criticising M. de Verneville completion of the grand Siberian transconon political grounds, but M. Ulyase Leriche, timental railway are not so good, owing to to reach the evil intended to be remedied. merobant, of Phom-penh, ambodia, minister- fluencial difficulties, arising it is stated, from Time is necessary to test the efficacy of pre. preting the drift of the article felt co much the great distress in some parts of Eurooffended that he went in search of M. Jammes, who pean Russis. An important and nevel deparventive measures, and the duration of the is editor-in-chief of the Progrest This gentleman turn in the history of Vladivostock is the swings from lenity to severity and back again was quietly taking his repost at a table in the acquisition of the island of Pultatia, by the in English legislation is perhaps scarce long Hotel Ollivier when Leriche entered precipitately well-known Russian merchant, Mr. Startsell. and without uttering a single word or giving any for agricultural and other useful purposes. warning struck M. Jammes across the face Pultathe is about five miles N.N.E. of Askold Recent examinations show a tendency on with a case. The assault was so unexpected Island, the latter being about twenty-five miles the part of creditors and law courts to and so sudden that before any of the others who S.E. of Vladivostcok. Whether the island were sitting at the same table realised the fact abounds in mineral riches I have not been able repress the state of things which lead to the assailant and assailed were engaged in a to learn yet, but I understand the intention of hand to hand struggle. Representatives were Mr. Starters is to settle the island with free afterwards sent by the parties, and a duel was Russian emigrants from Europe, and convert it then arranged to be fought at the Racecourse into a kind of muster farm, or mursery and so easy as it has been. The facility with early on the morning of the 18th May last, the general nucleus of superior agriculture and which debtors were allowed to slip through conditions being the exchange of two pistol shots horticulture for Eastern Siberia. So with the at a distance of thirty yards at the word to new railway, and the new centre of civilisation,

for this port youterday morning. Yesterday for the first time, Mr. H. E. Pollock took his seat in the Summary Court as Acting Puisno Judge.

An entirely new trade in poultry sprang up in Itainan in 1891. There were, asya the British to follow than that because a man kept car- Consul in his report on trade, over 100,000 fowls, worth about £2,500, exported to Hongkong, and this trade scens capable of indefinite develop-

Minister of the Tsung-li Tamen and Vice-

follows :- "You may assure bankers and share- volved in such disgraceful soundals holders that at the present prim of silver we can easily work the mine to pay.

The Daily News says that on the 3rd inst.

fixed \$25 each.

Mr. J. Neumann, assistant in charge of the Maritime Customs at Holhow, in his report on the trade of that nort for 1891, says: -An inquiry was made late in the year for Chinese labourers from Hainan to work in the coal mines of Tonkin : if the terms offered are scentiable. there should not be difficulty in obtaining the requisite number of labourers, for the comparative nearness to their homes will be an additional inducement to go to Tonkin rather than to a more distant Foreign land.

At the Magistracy yesterday a case of kid little while ago was taken away from her native village with the intention of transporting her to Singapore as a prostitute. \$250 was paid for her and she was brought up to Hongkong by the river steamer. A Po Lenny Kuk detective, however, intercepted her and the woman who was with her and his enquiries soon disclosed the true position. Mr. Wodehouse sentenced the woman to four months' imprisonment with

A Shanghai native paper says that the Taotai of Wenchow has issued a stirring proclamation: against the prevalent orime of kidampping chilboys and girls to go on board boats, and then take the poor children to junks, chiefly Fukien measures are taken to apprehend those miscreants, but in such cases attempts to repress one evil give rise to another. On this occasion have devised a way of deputing their own the Tantai find, himself obligad to admeniah

wet autumn, almost a very bad one. About export trade." very disagreeable position should anything Manchester. I saw cloth which it made, a heavy shirting or sheeting, and it seemed to me a after all go wrong. It is, in short, a lawyer's very respectable, full-badied article. I am told most modern type give far away the best results. weave in China to take note of."

masted ship of about 6,000 tons, which is coming out to load rice for Europe; and has on her with the inconveniences usually met with tessels dependent on their sails. In case of aced in equatorial regions the machine is to be brought into use. It is well known that aims sometimes retard the voyage for whole months, and that when this occurs it is not very seldom that the ship runs short of provisions to the great privation of the crew. In order therefore to prevent these delays English angineers have attached to the sailing vessel a little machine which enables her to quickly clear the becalmed zone and gain the trade winde. On the sides of the ship two iron-plate wings, which are easily folded and spread, execute a movement similar to that of fish fine, the moving power being a small steam engine which occupies a very limited space on board, while only one and a half tons of coal per day is consumed. Once cleared of the calm the wings are folded up against the side of the vassel which continues her course under sail. The Rickmers, for that is the name of the vessel.

The Nagasaki correspondent of the Mercury the course of this season : this is of great importance to the former place, the emperium of trade on the Amoor delta, with its navigation Faust, closed by ice during eight menths of the year, Newton. while the navigation of Vladivostock, is only D'Egville. | closed during four months in the winter. The railway rone through a fertile country, well watered and well wooded, and has a grand

ful enough with our northern neighbours.

The P. & O. steamer Bombay left Shanghai | The Japan Gazette writes :- Pollowing close upon the heels of this oard soundal case, involving several high judicial officials, comes the news of another and more serious scandal in judicial oircles. The offender is no less a personage than the presiding Judge (Misawa) of the Takamatan also present Hon, F. A. Cooper (Director of District Court. The Nippon is in receipt of Public Works), Major-General Gordon (Captain news that the Judge attempted to commit a Superintendent of Police). Dr. Ayres (Colonial of May, and he was brought down here once beoriminal assault upon the wife of are of his Surgeon), Mr. N. J. Ede. Mr. J. D. Hamclories, being only defeated in his purposes phreys, and Mr. Hugh McCallum (Secretary). by others who came to the woman's assistance. The scandal has of course created great commotion amongst the members of the Ta-The Peking Gazette of the 8th May contains kamatan Bar, and the Public Prosecutors a decree announcing that the Emperer regrets in-Chief of the Court has approached the Osaka the Nippon remarks in giving publicity to the President of the Board of Revenue. He is laffeir, these scandals are most unfortunate, esnot yet been put in force and when the country years of age and 15 of those were under 5 years. I is scoking Treaty B. vision. It is indeed ro-A telegram from Mr. G. J. Morrison on behalf | grettable, not alone on account of these two cirof the Sheridan Consolidated Mining and Milling | camstances, but for the general reflection thrown

the man-of-war, and accorded a funeral with chinery. The Peru's dimensions are: Longth. naval honours at the New Cometery in the after- 345, bear 45, depth 25 feet; gross tonunge. longth, Il fact 6 inches: thickness of shell, It inches and they will stand a pressure of 160 ounds. For each boiler there are 2 corregated It inches outside diameter. Then there is a donkey boiler 9 feet in diameter and 9 feet 4 inches long. The Peru will be lighted by elec-

> v one year it was of the same insignificant charactor and trade must continue to be so until easy and ohean communication with the coast is established. Of this there is no immediate proment. The Phulang-thuong-Langson railway was formally opened as far as Kep-a distance of 12 miles—on the 11th May. The contractors promise to complete 15 miles more by April. to think that this is too sanguine a view and that at the earliest it will be the end of 1893 before the road is in working order. . It is now i roposed to make Langson the terminus, and. head of navigation on the Sungki, to improve the river between Langson and Nasham by blowing up the rocks which new obstruct it There is one serious obstacle—a fall of some feet sible and the expense will be small in compari. the following note-" The feature of most m

The inaugural meeting of the Japan Society London, was held on the 29th April at the Society of Arts. Adelphi. The Japanese Minister, Visebunt Kawase, who is the Presithat China cutton can be very fairly manipulated dont, delivered the opening address. He said by English machinery and that looms of the the object of the society, which now had 120 of the town? members, was the encouragement of the study To the return for the week ending June 4th agreed; that three brothers were willing and receipts, and the whole array of mechanical a point for Chinese companies proposing to of the Japanese language, literature, history, Mr. McCallom adds:—"The feature of most three not willing to pay, and that the plaintiff how it is called "hang-ti " (oh ung-sz), or "inand folk-lore; of Japanese art. science, and in- importance in this return is the 5 deaths record- had therefore ne ground of action, dustries; and the social life and economic con- ed from small-pox. Up to the end of April 26 His Lordship urged the parties to com-The Mercury says: - Funghua, a district of the dition of the Japanese people past and present, oases were reported; during May 24 and in June terms, and altimately the claintiff agreed to ac-Ningon department, is noted for the roughness and of all other Japanese matters. A paper was to date 8 cases have been reported, making a ment half the amount claim 1. of the manners of the inhabitants, who are truen- read by Mr. T. Shidachi, LL B. (Tokyo), total of 58 cases. From 1st January to date 32 and consequently at the risk of their lent and are allowed much liberty by the magis secretary of the Bank of Japan, Tokyo, on deaths have been recorded. The usual fumigabankers. The extent to which this is being trates who are sent to govern them; otherwise Juijitsu," the ancient art of self-defence by tions, &o., of the houses have in each case been insurrections would be of constant occurrence, sleight of body. He said the subject could hard-At the present moment they are obliged to ac- ly be appreciated by English people No Engcases which are now and then publicly ex- quiesce silently in a popular act which totally lish book had been written about : He explainignores them. Recently they assumed authority | ed that he had been accustomed to the art from to execute a murderess, the magistrate remain. his earliest ways. It was called Ju-jitsu, which ing sallenly compliant. A woman who had long he had put down at the head of his subpurchased to become her daughter-in-law, but the ling, as known in England, gained the victory cods. The same night the mother of the mur- years to learn. Victory over an opponent was children who are poorly fed and badly olad. dered child saw, or believed she saw an apparition gained by throwing down the body. Every meticular 100 boxes of soap which are hypothe- discovery of the abominable murder, on which rule. Some practical illustrations were given. cated to him will be held sacred and said the enraged olan of the deceased seized the One of the honorary secretaries (Daigoro-Gob, murderess, tied a stone to her body, and threw Chanceller, Imperial Japanese Consulate-Goneover to him intact, while the interests of all her into the river, to the surface of which she ral, London) offered himself for exhibition. He but for the good of the society he offered himself a victim. "The led ur r, a much smaller continually travelling about. The Progres de Saigon of the 1st instant says man than his opponent, with the greatest ease that an extraordinary sailing ship is shortly threw him over his head, and in a cariety of confidence to attach a stigma to the expected in the harbour of Saigon. She is a practical performances illustrated the modes of gaining the victory. The feats were performed by the Superintendent in his report for

In the course of his report on the trade Kinngehow (Holhow) for 1891, Mr. E. H. Parker, the British Consul, gives the following particu- laws operate here? Do the people take advanlars spent the pig trade:-The pig is pre-omin- tage of it or not? ently the contrayer of Hainan, and consequently The President - Vaccination is compulsory. he continues to be reared in every village and The Chinese are a vaccinating race in this part every house with the tenderest solicitude. The murrain which afflicted these inoffensive animals nated there would probably not have been such during 1889 seems to have now entirely disap- a number of deaths. The question is, were they peared, and Holhow witnesses the regular spec- receinsted P tacle of dignified French mail steamers competing with Danish and Gorman coasting craft for year, however, the profits have gone into the their children vaccinated often. I don't suppockets of the pig dealers rather than into those of the shipowners, for the lowering of freights vaccinated. through competition has practically had the offect of reducing the prime cost of the pig, as delivered in Hongkong, by I c. to Id. per stone. Sometimes as many as 1,000 sleek porkers go up to Hougkong in one steamer. It must not be supposed that these pigs are ill-treated, or that they wallow together indiscriminately in o'clock, the steam launch Dayspring, varrying days, when she will lead six thousand lone of Chinese coolies, such as, in the old days of the Macno barraccons, used also in fact to be called, in the local Cantonese slang, "chu-tsai," orvery brisk since the opening of the asseson, and "pigs." Each pig has his poke, in the shape of The Band of the 1st Shropshire Light Infan. it may interest some of your readers to learn a strong bamboo cage in which he can lie with try will play the following programme on the Barrack Square this evening, commencing at tween Nikolsk and Vladivostock being opened in 100 metals in the limit that there is a fair prospect of the railway beand quiet to long as be keeps his legs inside). It is not allowed to place more than one pig on lant stand for trenty rights, is still pending, in Descon) for the defendant. firm proposed this year to export pigs to North | be ill at Canton and unable to appear. island for pig gruzing, with a view to supplying he stated that he was unable, through illness, to the Chipase confies, who soek employment appear through his agency, with a cheap and nutritious which is half as much money as the average such affidavit onn be obtained. passage fares of 5,000 Chinese coolies would

EUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE "DAILY PRESS." London, 8th June. THE SUSPENSION OF THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK. The New Oriental Bank Corneration, Limited,

has suspended, with a liability of £5,500,000.

HONGKONG SANITARY BOARD.

meeting was held yesterday afternoon. Hon. J. H. Stewart Lockhart presided and there were BANITARY BUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

The following report of the Smitary Superintendent for May was laid before the members. trainage Works, Markets, and Slaughter houses. Nothing occurred during the month calling for re-Health Districts -34 cases of small-pox were ported during the month. Of these, 29 occurred the upper western section of the Taipingshin dis

in my report for April. In one instance, where I felt sure the occupier of the premises was fully aware of the nature of the disease for some days before who Co., Ld., was received in Shan hai on the 3rd on the entire Judiciary of Japan, that gentle- reported the case, and as I was able to get a medical inst. by Mesers. Drysdale, Ringer and Co., as men so high in the profession should become in- certificate that the small-por eruption must have boon visible for at least 7 days before it was reported. a proscoution was at once instituted, a conviction obtained and a substantial panulty I efficied. In mo-The San Francisco Commercial News of May 9th says:—The steamer Porti. owing built at the were as promptly reported as they should have been, Union. Iron Works, San Francisco, for the still I could not obtain clear evidence that such was Inspector Howell, of the Shanghai Police, found Pacific Mail S.S. Co. is nearly all plated and the case and consequently no prosecutions were inthe body of a foreigner floating in the river a rapidly approaching completion, and will be stituted. I am, however, inclined to think that proshort distance from H.M.S. Caroline. The lanached between the 1st and 5th of next month. grees is being made and that small pox eases are more short distance from H.M.S. Carolins. The lanched between the 1st and 51h of next month, promptly and oftener reported now than they were deceased belonged to the Italian man-of-war. She will then receive her engines, botters and formarly. The difficulties met with in this matter of Curtaions and fell overboard on the 31st ultime interior fittings, and is scheduled to sail on reporting is in some measure, shown by the following from the vessel while at gan drill. The body Angust 4th. A force of 630 men is at present circumstances On the 6th June Dr. Thomson of the was afterwards taken charge of by a party from employed on the built of the vessel and her ma. Alice Memorial Hospital notified me of the existence of a case of small-por at 4, Pak Chi Lane. I received the notitio tion on the morning of the 7th and at once 3.80). She will be schooner rigged, having per accommodation in the house for the treatment of two masts. The lowermusts are of steel, the the case there. A woman, as care-taker, was the Two men were yesterday fined \$250 each, with | maintast being 89 feet and the foremast 86 feet | only person found in the house and she asserted that the alternative of six months' imprisonment, for keeping a gambling house at 164, Queen's Road of Oregon pine, are 44 feet in length, and each is found a sick child in the Caine Road near to the Central in which lottery tickets were being surmounted by a 7-feet pole. The engines, now Station Convent and he had it taken to the Civil dealt in. Fourteen men found on the premises nearly completed, and friple expansion, the Hospital, where it was found to be suffering from at the time were fined \$10 each. Inspector cylinders being of the following diameter: high small-pox. Although I am not in a position to prove them now for that the child said to have been taken to Kowloon by pressure 28 inches, intermediate 44 inches, low it would be case. Two other houses pressure 28 inches, intermediate 44 inches, low it would be case. utilised for the same purpose were entered on pressure 70 inches, with a piston stroke of 49 Road, yet after careful enquiry i am convinced that observe how the machinery devised for the Thursday evening by Inspector Quincey and inches. Those engines are of 2.00 horse-power, it is. I am satisfied that if prosecutions for not reacting Inspector Kemp and their owners were and expected to develop a speed of about 15 porting cases of small-pox are instituted in cases were all present, that they should proceed at Hollow, known as the "Hummooks," which lie knots. There are six main boilers, constructed where there is not cl ar evidence that the failure to once to prove the will. of steel. The diameter of each is 12 fast 7 inches; report has happened with full knowledge of the na- His Lordship Of course I must credit pro- |cf. the Sinness "Xi a -mai,") and a gumboat ture of the disease and that it should have been re- fessional gentlemen with truth in their asserported, there is a very considerable risk of the poorer and more ignorant section of the community being convinced that the authorities view it as being an formaces (patent ones built in the East) of t feet offence against the law for a person to be afflicted postaged? with small-pox disease, whereas the offence is the failure to report the existence of the affliction so that | the absence of the defendant. the authorities may render the afflicted the assistance so much needed and to take stone to prevent, as far trigity and fitted with distillers and evaporators | as practicable, the spread of the disease to others If the people can be got to realize tris, and I think In his report on the trade of Lungchow for they can, the tendency to concerd the existence of 1891, Mr. C. C. Clarke, the acting Commissioner, small-pox in any house will practically cause. Three says that "though larger than that of the pre- samples of milk were purchased and sent in the usual two of the samples were of excellent quality and one

> Contracts.-The work d ne under the various contracts has been corried out in a satisfictory manher. Approximately 2.501 tons of trate and domestic refase have been removed from Victoria, Hill and Kow-Personal proceedings.—Inspected the Conservancy 18 12 and hope to reach Langson in the Spring Contractor's boat at the anchorage station off Stone application. of 1893. The experience of the past leads one outters' Island, the Seavenging Contractor's boats at

the denot in Ching Wan Bay, a part of such of the Health districts in Victoria and most of the villages in Hong'cong and Rowloon, as well as most of the public comsterles for Chiques. A good deal of time | ment considering the importance of the interests has been taken up in visiting houses where small-por est stake. ustead of extending the road to Nasham, the cases have occurred and in investigating whether the cases were reported as promptly as they should have

MORTALITY RETURNS. The Sanitary Superintendent in his mortality -but the French officers consider the plan feat returns for the week ending May 28th appended son with building 13 miles of railway. Another portunes in this return is the 8 deaths recorded necessity for the growth of trade is security from small-pox. Two of these cases were notifrom piracy on the rivers which lead to Lung. fled as having occurred hat week and were under Proclamations against each of those crimes are chow. A regular system of blackmail has been treatment in the Tung Wa Hospital. Twentyestablished and, apart from the losses by robbery four cases have been reported during the month of money, the charges which regular traders of May. I attach a slip showing the streets the day. In the course of his report on the trade of between Lungohow and Thatkel and Lungchow and lanes were they have occurred. They have Shanghai for 1891, Mr. Bredon, Commissioner and Caobang paid during the year to exempt nearly all been in the apper western corner of of Customs, says, referring to Baw Cotton, this them from attack amounted to about 2 per cent. the Taipingslan District, one of the poorest and was "exported more largely to foreign countries, of the value of their cargoes. In 1890 the whole most crowded quarters of the city. Eight especially Japan, during 1891 than during 1890, trade was valued at Hk. Tis. 33.30) and in 1891 cases have occurred in four houses, i.e., 2 in each The banker's security is now supplemented though the local crop of the latter year was a at Hk. Tls. 39,600. Two-thirds of this increase bouse; the others, one in each house. In each by the severe moral obligation which he puts very good one, and of the former, owing to a was in the import trade and one-third in the case inquiries have regular y been made if any in all cases been carried out in the usual man-

> Minute by Mr. Francis: - Eight cases in 4 house in the mouth of May! How many of the 8 cases fatal? How about the disinfection? Would it not be as well to have a medical special examination of this quarter alised the sum claimed and his other brothers

Minute by Mr. J. J. Prancis-Again I ask is not 33 deaths, indicating either a severe type of disease needing special attention, or a very great many more cases not reported? It is of importance to know

The Presipert-It has been suggested to birth, but too many man-midwives may spoil the i the month of April, but I regret to say that poor child to death by rubbing her abdomen by strength: Ju-jitsu conquered by yielding me by the Secretary that a large number of the most promising child, and the precocity of the with a hollow smoothing from filled with live the body; and some grades of the art took ten deaths—amounting in fact to two-thirds—are hantling testifies to the heroic treatment of its The Colonial Surgeon-Most of them are unmerous parents and dry-nurses. The idea of site, and the Bri ish flug still flies over a miserof her daughter in a dream, which led to the tion of the body, hands, legs, etc. was according to under five years of age and it is a very difficult a full armed warrior springing from the Jevian able and dirty "hangard." The last proposition matter to treat children of that age. Mr. N. J. Eps-The area of the disease seems

to be narrowly confined. The COLONIAL SURGEON-I believe they are crowded houses and occupied by people who are The CAPIAIN SUPERINTENDENT of POLICE

There are a good many paupers about there. The President-The matter is dealt with with the greatest case, and were loudly cheered. May, and as no mbers have not had that before them yet perhaps it would be best to leave the matter over until the next meeting. Mr. N. J. EDE-How far do the vaccination

Mr. Eps-If those children had been vacci-

The Colonial Surgeon-A great number of them are not. People who travel down here the profitable business of pig carrying. This and only intend to stay a short time do not have pose any of these children who died had been Mr. EDE-I think the Secretary might make

enquiries as to vaccination in that district. The subject then dropped.

> SUPREME COURT 10th June.

BEFORE HIS HONOUR Mr. FIELDING CLARKE, ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE.

THE TANG ALOK WILL CASE.

IN PROBATE.

In this suit, which has already been once postthe top of the nether ones, so that there is ample poned since set down for hearing; Mr. Francis, breathing space allowed. The long-standing Q.C., and Mr. Phillippo (instructed by Mr. Hollow pig case, in connection with which Holmes) appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. E Messrs Herton and Co. are making such a gal- Robinson (instructed by Messrs; Wetten and torest being added, year by year and month by Mr. Robinson applied for an adjournment for month, to the original amount claimed. The three weeks, as the defendant was represented to Borneo, where Mr. Herton has taken up a small A letter was read from the defendant in which

food : and in this enterprise they count upon, made a lot of take affidavite and they were all of and seem to deserve, the support of their con- a most unsatisfactory nature. Application like sular and legation authorities. Nearly £60,000 this was made to me yesterday in Chambers on worth of pigs were experted during the year, precisely the same grounds. I suggested then tion, be credited to the great names and the being more than a quarter of the total exports that Dr. Cantile might make an affidavit as to magnificent assurance with which they took from Hollow. This means £3,000 in freights, the condition of the defendant. I presume no in the public to their confidence. Here, they

Mr. Robinson-I can only press my applies. His Lordship-The other side suggest that their witnesses will go away if the case is not proceeded with. Mr. Robinson-Their evidence might be taken

de bens esss His Lordship-I don't think that is right at all. I premine you must submit to judgment. Do you consent to an adjournment, Mr. Francis? adjournment. Your Lordship sees the position we have been in since December. When the 1" the pastness which have yielded as abundant who has now been rewarded with the lucrative

fendant was told he had nothing to do but to call I'we need only assure you that we know many a witnesses to prove the will. From December till, r w we have been waiting. The defendant has been in the Colony until the last few days, and he has simply gone away. One of our most important witnesses is residing out of the Colony and came down here at some expense on the 5th

take the evidence witnesses in the Colony? Mr. Robinson - We' are prepared to do The defend at went away before the case was setdows, and went to Canton partly on account. of his realth and partly to obtain evidence. His Lordship-He is not such a necessary share their delights. And the second not in witness. Why can't you go on with your case? Mr. Robinson - The defendant went away to

obtain the witnesses, but he became ill and has not been able to obtain the witnesses. Mr. Francis-It came out in the evidence Chambers that one of their witnesses -although they denied it-was in the colony. The whole aftersoon was spent in son aut applications on behalf of Trug Shang Shang for compromise or poor unimals, slowly perceived that they settlement of this case. We have simply refused to come to any agreement or settlement, and have stated that we must have the decision of the Court in this matter. It is sufficient evidones for them to call and put into the witness. saying that a green could live where a chap had box one of the attesting witnesses, and throwil grazed, and reflected demurely on the obvious upon no the defence in suit. They will prove application thereof. They were well covered their will by so doing. The witnesses present who are not attesting witnesses are of no valu-The man I have referred to is in the colony and has been proved to be in the colony in spite of off by thorns in the pursuit of a bire subsisttheir affidavits. Mr. Robinson-I believe this man is in the colony, but he will not appear.

His Lordship-How many attesting witnesses Mr. Robinson-There were three to the wil and in a former suit they were all present in the F. H. Parker, Britis's Consul, gives the follow-

His Lordship-But have you not got any of Mr. Francis - The Chief Justice. Sir James | The only journeys in Homan which I have Russell, in giving judgment in the former suit and the enpertunity of making this year have make the remark, when the attesting witnesses been a short trip to the promisent hills me r

adjournment. But why was not this man sub. Mr. Robinson-He won't appear, he says, in His Lordship-Yes; but he must appear.

His Lordship-That only shows very much the Aidm or Nan-chan Empire of the Thai against your case. If we are to have an race extended from Yun-Nan to the sea, and the rijournment you must pry the costs of the day down. The application for adjourn- | Kwang Si the appeators of both of which tribes of poor quality, but he was not propared to say that ment bears an exceedingly but appearance to belonged to that empire, probably sent relianies my mind. But as the property involved is over to Hainan; or the Chinese generals may very considerable and the parties have been in have sent prisoners of war over. It is certain that litigation for some time. I hardly like not to some at least of the unlettered, but by no means accode to the request for adjournment. Of course | ancivilised, tribes in the central parts of Hainan that really has nothing to do with it. I am afraid, however, it will only lead on to another from that spoken by the him-speaking tribes of

Mr. Francis-I cannot very vigorously oppose the application. It is a bad case but I do disterts "Loi wai" (" Li-bwa "), or "Li lannot like to appear the application for adjourn. His Lordship-I think I must adjourn it.

le so. I must say, with very great reluctance.

Mr. Francis-What adjournment is your Lordship to grant? His Lordship -They say three weeks. Mr. Francis - I would ask your Lordship to say there shall be no further adjournment. His Lordship-Yes, cortainly. Nothing but taking a European medical gentlemin down there and getting a very strong affilivit will induce me to do so. The adjournment is granted upon the immediate payment of the costs of

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. BEFORE MR. H. E. POLLOCK, ACTING PUISNE JUDGE.

A WASH NO BILL. Yik Yan, a washerman, Lower Lascar Bow, aned J. Demee for 319.18. The defence was that the bill was against the mother, who had since died : that the defendant. with the consent of a brother, had undertaken to agreed to pay an equal share; that the plaintiff

SHORT STUDIES ON GREAT SUBJECTS.

IV .- THE INFANT PRODICY. All the wise men of the East presided at its brain has ever been a fascinating one, and in no of the gentry was that the Consul should build department of life has it been more fruitful in bold undertakings than in finance, for the pis- would soon gather round if he settled sion for seizing wealth at a stroke is one that there; but as there would be lives eternal in the human breast. That it is an miles to walk and three rivers to cross ambition that o'erleaps itself is a fact well before the Consul could get to Hollow, and as known to cold observers, but always disregarded mile, this proposition was ordely received by the by those who are smitten by the malady, who surveyor of works, who had come here from count the general experience of mankind as Shanghai to listen to their proposals. moonshine. Without persons of that temperament, however, there would be ther gambling nor speculation, and what a their rules to suit the peculiar local exigencies dall world it would be without these sti- of the place. It is quite a common occurrence muli to galvanize its prossic movements! for a steamer to waste a whole day in port, sim-More than half the objects of human pursuit

passion for sudden riches, has already made its Company at Haiphong have repeatedly commark in history, for to have sconded the gamet plained to mejon this score, and as it is most of commercial vicissitude from the extremest treble of triumphant prosperity to the double phone running between Heigh ag and Hongbass of the most doleful dirges, within the brief | kong via Heihow, and to receive the mails prompt span of two years, probably beats the record. By from those places I think that the French com-The infant of days passing through the pany is specially entitled to encouragement. The tribulation of senile decrepitude natural curiosity interesting to everybody, and at the expense of the others; to which I answer particularly so to those who have backed that all lines should be equally favoured, when him as a stayer. Who would have expected a Jubilee Plunger to emerge from the massive brains of our types of solid leaden conservation? | Hge conditions at the various ports and have been which the mere public is not privileged to these rules are found locally oppressive or hamenter. Time and the dissecting knife may eventually show where the seeds of distemper the local customs officials; from the highest to have been deposited in the joints and marrow. the lowest, to be personally obliging so far as But the Prodigy is vigorous and full of life, in their instructions will allow; but they naturally spite of a few aches and spasms here and there, feel reluctant to take the initiative, and thus and while it wears a whole skin its gumbola and it is at headquarters that these consideracar only be studied from a respectful distance; tions should be weighed. It has always been my

serve the turn.

The short study of this great subject would resolve itself naturally into two branches: how like the stick. The first of these movements may perhaps, without much risk of exaggerasaid, are we who have made immense fortunes in these argentine fields, and we know the Hougkong, and theses by cable to Haiphong. trick of it. "Will you, Oh noble public. The latter is usually the quicker and more "not come and take a hand? We will guide trustworthy. you into those rich pastures and you shall dogs watch over you and see you est If ex- time guns at each side of the three large ones. "perience has made any of you sceptical of birds The pits in which the grass stand are a marvel Mr. Francis I could not possibly consent to being found in last year's nests and fear that highest circle upon Captain Ch'éo, of Ningpo, matter of appeal was before the Court the de. "nutriment heretofore have been cropped bare; acting post of Town Commandant at Holhow.

back whereon the will tryms blows niver "harstofors tradden by foot of shien, rish and "remanarative, wherefrom ander the rigid dis-"ciplian of their pastors, all the other flooks "are warned off." The but was irresistible and the flar y ones crowded into the fold. Nor were His Lordship (to Mr. Robinson)-Are you they disappointed. 'In the contrary they were prepared to pay all exponses of a commission to at once led knee-deep into meadows of butteronps and daisies and were filled with fatness byyoud their most sanguine droum se From their seventh beaven of sestary they bleated to their old companions beyond the pale to come in and

the drams was enter d upou. The second compaign was different from the first. The fields had no clover in them. They were bare and stabily with many marks of motion grazing, and droppings of for ner flocks sonitored all over the close-oropped surface. The were being fed on the leavings of more fortunate pred was sors in the same field; and some of them who had a little wit re amabared the when they assembled but what eventually became of the flores? Were they shore, or torn

HAINAN.

Under the heading of " Miss dimenus," Mr. ing inforesting particulars about the trade of Hain in his report on the trule of Kunzchow

for 1891: -15 miles to the west, on the road to Oh'oug-mai crnisa to Hanisni Bry, in Lim-Kan district. The tions and I am therefore inclined to permit an neople at both these piness, and presumably, all along the north-west coust, though believing thems was Chinesa, spark a language which is not only not Chinese, but has a large percentage of words ex soft similar to Siamos, Shan, Laos, or Muong. The type of the people, too, is Mr. Robinson-I understand he will go away decid y Shan, without the typic I Chinese almont av. At one time (L. vie) years ago) modern Muongs of Tonquin, like the Shans of speak a type of language which is totally different the north-we-t coast. Yet the Chinese indiseciminately call all the non-Chin so Heinan guage." The subject is one of ment interest. well worth the attention of true ders. It had been my intention to pursue the enquiry when making a commercial tour of inspection round the island, a project which Vice-Admiral Richards was obligher enough to favorir, but my transfer to another post compais me to abundon

thi. scheme. Further enquire made at the request of the Kew authorities elicits the information that the so-called grass-cloth alluded to in my last trade report is not made from the " Pand mus." or screw-pine, but from the "Ananas sativa," or ordinary pineapple of commerce. The specimens of both which were sent lorne enable the Kew. authorities to establish this fact beyond doubt, Dr. Breischneider, of the Russian Legation, several varrango, drew attention to the fact that cloth made from the pineapple fibre was mentioned in the maritime customs " Port Catalogues, published in 1873, and that a similar cloth, called "pin," is manufactured in the

Philippine Islan is. I enclose with this report, for transmission to Kew, a specimen of the very tourh " wild silk of my last report, locally used for fish-lines. The "taotai" of Hainan luforms me that, according to popular report, the insest is produced upon par the amount provided his mother's estate re- the "feng" tree or "liquida abar formusana

In Canton it is called "yusz." or " fish silk." als, "vu sz t'au," or "fish silk head" In Hoisnot silk." and it is said to cost Gal, the 1334 lbs.: or 1,000%, the ton. Another account says that the insect which produces this tough silk is found everywhere, but is seen at its best in Hainan, on the summits of isolated mountains in the " Inimni" (Ling-men) neighbourhood. In the early summer (3rd and 4th moons) of each year the insect feeds on the leaves of the "chang" comphori tree, and dies when the leaves fall off. The male produces a single and the female a double thread of silk, that produced by the female being, t however, of inferior quality. Specimens of he insect were promised me for shall not be in a position to welcome their arrival. The Chines authorities have not yet taken any bone fide stops towards procuring a consular a house on the spit (Bak-sha mai, or Pei-sha ment, and they promised that a town there is no house nearer to the spot than one

I cannot help thinking that the trade of the port would be further developed and encouraged if the maritime customs authorities would modify ply because she fails by a few minutes to get hor-often purely format-papers through the are igner fatui, but what does that matter? It oustoms within customs' hours, which are from is not the value of the for but the pleasure of 10 o' lock to 4 o'clock. I have myself been twice the run that warms the blood of the British | detair ! 24 hours on a steamer, quite ready to squire, and faute de mieux, a red herring will ship her cargoand go, b cause customs formalities prevented the agents from cetting carge out clear of the spit at the one favourable moment of the Our infant prodigy, the offspring of the tide. The successive agents of the Messageries convenient to the Hollow community to have such capacious and regular steamers as the Haiargument used by the local engloms' authorities is that one line of steamers cannot be favoured such favour involves no real loss or serious expense to the maritime oustom . The rules have been presumably drawn up to fit in with the aver-How it all comes to pass is an enquiry into primarily made in the interests of trade; but if pering to trade they should at once be mediaed. Nothing could exceed the auxiety of from the artist's, not the anatomist's, point of experience that no reasonable application to headquarters is ever refused consideration, and if it be not found p sable to make changes, it will at least be satisfactory to know that the "pros" and "cons" have been duly weighed His Lordship-The defendant has already it went up like a rocket; and how it came down by independent deputies representing both sides of the question; in other words, that the clearly stated views of shipmasters have been at least

impartially considered at Poking. There is, by special arrangement, now a direct postal service between Hoihow and Haiphong, and there are two telegraph routes, one by way of Pakhoi, Kwang Si, and Tonquin; and the other by way of Pakhoi, Kwang Si. Canton,

The new forts at Tni-ya (Shui-ying), three miles west of Hoihow, are rapidly progressing. "bave nought to do but browse and grow exceed- Two 24 centims Erupp gams are in position, a ing fat while we with our well trained sheep third will soon be so, and there are two 16-cenof strength, and the whole work reflects the

tions of Mr. A: P. Happer's report on the trade monopoly.

of Mong tez for 1891 :--1 -- locat. -- The growth of the year was a steady and encouraging one, the vigour shown lasted three months, its ravages being confined at the opening of the second season of December, 1-90, reformed to n the last report, wis kept up until its close, while a new increment of sle ougth was displayed when the third season's goods arrived. At one time in the autumn. grave fear's were entertained by morelunts here of a recembescence of piency on the Rod River, but the fears were dissipated, and, as a fact. the record of the year shows that the trade of Monariaz ascaped attack. As the result of comoptition among freight carriers, the regular are no means to find out what the actual number charges on a mackage of merchand se from Hougkong to Mangten bave been pool send, the present freight being about Hk. Ths. 175 por piece o 65 patries in weight, shalf the load of a packmimal. No steamers made the ascent of the Holl River to Lackit last summer, but the matter of stoom navigation to that frontier post has not been almindaried. I hear there is a plan to build present steam-launches to expetite traffic by a was quiet during the busy time when people dual." sistem of towage, Chinese engaged in the were attending to their silk worms, but now frontier trade will lend themselves readily to all reports of this kind are again rife, and would ench schemes, for each new crift, placed on the beamusing if they were not dangerous. Some giver and every day, saved in the time of trans- say that the Catholice are going to put a beam pertation diminish sumuch the risk of the river in the Cathedral, and that this beam must be journey. The outlook, then; for the Import first anointed with the blood of 300 children. trule when viewed by the sta istics furnished Others declars that the kidnapped children in one tables, is favourable to expansion and are sold to foreigners who extract from them further growth, provided that nothing occurs to their vital essence, etc., etc. Placards are seen hamper the flourishing transit trade for which every day announcing that at such and such a it provides the merchandise. The perspective place a certain number of children have been in the outlook of the Export trade is not so long lost; in these, however, no allusion has been made nor so fair, the haziness in the vision being dut to the Catholics. But the other evening a to the lock of commodities for expertation. A placard was secured which reads as follows:glapperate that table will show that Mongtes has I'll is true that the Catholics in this place practically only one stable article of Export, and | sand people out to kidnap other people's childm we hands affect that dealing in it is not a pay: I ron to extract the essence of their vital power | be got to move till the driver had finished ing investment, except as a convenient inclus from thom. If parents are still not careful they to remit money without discount to the coast. will surely come to grief. Now good, and with sword and carbine, has also affairs of So largely is tio, in the present state of the princely folks be quick, and do not fail to make his own which may unexpectedly be psemitted minim trade, the sole medical of exchange for copies of this and have them posted everywhere. more inudiser at Hongkong, that every Mengtez The number of children that has been thus made expendent doing buildness there must be, an explainty with is incalculable. Oh! heaven, take parter of the metal, and the computation to these devil dogs, exterminate the hostial set. convergence consignments from the mines as so great! The cursed officials do not dare to punish them." that prements are made in advance, long before . The ramour of the tearing down of the the annual output of ore is smelted. The result Catholic premises at Tanvang was widesproad his horse. The group cancht the enginehas then that the mine proprietors, knowing the for a time and much agitation was caused every driver's eye; he simply stopped the train out of situation, have raised the price so high that tin where. This rumour has since died out. The cannot be sold on the Hongkong market with Kinguny Rica and Wasich Historiage received greater profit than the margin referred to above, instructions from the high authorities to protect | the gaping group? And we actually stopped Such being the case, the balance of trule, the Christians The two Hiens have also sent on this idle errand for about twenty minutes; against Exports will be an ever-augmenting word to the gentry, enjoining upon them to to the great content, apparently, of all but amount annually, or the growth of the Import protect the Christians. The Wusieh Hien has trade will be arrested for the value of the pre- labelly issued a proclamation probibition the sent annual expertation of our staple article. Inbrigation of these standerous reports against great as it is, t gether with the total value of Catholics. At four o'clock this afternoon one on this disparity of values is discussed elsewhere. I inscription: "For inventing groundless rumours But is is pleasant to then from the contern to excit the people."

be done sutisfactorily this year, because we have the ligures of the previous 12 months with which to make the comparison 2.—KEYENUE-The collection was Hk. Th 60946.6.2.9, an advance of more than 41 per cent, over the collection of 1890; but it should he stated that Hk Tls. 2.051 6.1.6 of this sum were received as Import Duty on Government machinery, an exceptional item, which thurefore should not be credited as part of the year's normal growth. Deducting that amount, the advance is nearly 37 per cent.

3.—Formion Thadr.—(a.) Impor s.—The

plation of the possible limitations of progress to

measure the growth already attained, which can

net value of the trade was Hk. Tis. 744 396. against Flk. Tls. 465,089 in 1890-a gain of 59 per cent, but only 50 per cent, if the deduction referred to above is made. There was an advance under most of the denominations of Cotton Goods, the greatest increase having been that of Gray Shirtings, which rose from 7.065 pieces to 16954 pieces, but white shirtings fell I om 1.164 pieces to 489 pieces. The two kinds of T-Cloths are tabulated with a total of 17,900 pieces, against 14.336 pieces, while towels jumped from 181 dozens, to 1,818 dozens. But I fear there was, at the end of the year ander

(b.) Exports.—including native opinm, value of this branch of our trade was ik. Tls. 583,275, against 11k. Tis. 468,904 -an excess of 1 product of Yunnau, mined in the immediate insects. vicinity of Mengtsz, explains why merchants wish that opinm, which could exchange for imports in all parts of the province, might have an open market in Toukin, referred to later on. Pro-ech ten is making slow pr gross, the exb wond Tonkin. Other items in the list are of small value, but the struggling effort to make t mediums of exchange is worthy of record, the two or three days. The use of a rubber heel in exportation of these horse rese from 56 to 454 military boots has been found to act as a partial

(c.) Imports of Chinese, Origin and a value of Hk. Tis 202,336, sgainst Hk. Tis 169,0:4- Bustration of the marvels made possible by beef; potatoes, bread and butter, and one one of has been one long triumphant progress. (Enreign and Native) and Export trade of Mengter ik, Tls 1,530,007, of which Hangkong's | limite less than 15 per cent.

lik The 514.176 in 1890 -a gain of 43 per cent. kept running throughout the year to carry the A remarkable feet to be noted is the even pice banana product to New York. kapt between Imports and Transit, to be seen when the figures of the two years are compared. trade is crippled. The number of passes isseed | the preserving solution rather unevenly. was 14,075, against 9,625, covering merchandise carried to 63 administrative cities and 13 murbet besides to two districts in Szechwan and one in erature is as low as 2 deg. Fabr., and contend that

the total number of junks entered and cleared at mixed with unslacked lime, and put in place be-Manino was 1.783, with a carrying espacity in fore it loses the heat due to the slacking of the weight of 5.2 4 tons, against 1,2 7 boats and, lime. 3.864 tons in the year previous; while 25,726 and 2),131 pack-unimals respectively carried merchandist inwards and outwords between Manhao and Mongter, against 18.054 and 22.768 animals that performed the same service in 1890. A like wivance is seen in the number of beasts of borden engaged in the transit trade, which rose from 15,501 to 21,790, making the total for the year of the three outegories 76,647, against. 56,323 animals during the previous 12 months. 7. - PASSENGER TRAFFIC .- To descend the five to ten hours. Red River 11 foreigners embarked at Manhao, 4 of them bound for Hanoi, the other 7 going only

issued at the French consulate.

Ilk. I'ls. 27,978, that paid duty at the Customs jected to the same slow burning by oxygen until grappling the first shark he touched, he hugged timents of ours were genuine. But then sud- ways." "This (adds Mr. Severn) Mr. Gladstone in 1891 were chiefy purchases made by the their vitality has all disappeared. What is sold its body with all his might, so that it began to denly "Tu-ra-ra-Boom-de-ay" sounded in our told me himself."

as this is the second year of such sales it can be that is still extensively cultivated in Egypt. readily seen that no great growth of the opium The following are the more interesting por- trade must be looked for under the present

10.-MISCELL MEOUS. -Mougles suffered very much from the Yuhoan plague during the year. It came early in the sammer and to one locality at a time, and even its move ments were very erratio in the neighbourhood attack. There appeared to be two manifestations of the disease, one in which buboss up peared, and another in which they were absent apparently suppressed, but in either case the lisease was about equally fital. A rough as timate gives the number of deaths in the oil's and suburbs as much more than 1,000, but there

ANTI-CHRISTIAN MOVEMENTS AT WUSIEH.

A correspondent at Wusieh writes to the N Incendiary talk of an anti-Christian nature able and. The rior is as mortal as the indivi- islanders in their featsofskill and atrength. After tion which shall work in harm my with the na-C. Daily News as follows: other Exports falls for short of the amount for of these vilo slauderers was seen walking ab ut which this trade should provide the medium the streets in a canque and heavy irons. Upon of exchange. What effect opinm might have the cangue there was written the following

SCIENTIFIC MISCELLANY.

The great mass of floating vegetation known is the Sargasso Sea has been made a subject of investigation by Dr. Krummei, a German geographer. He finds that Humboldt imperfee:ly estimated even the shape of this curious pouch, and we saw him no more. I ventured "sea," which is a sort of ellipse, the great axis uponly to disapprove of his conduct. A Spanish of which almost colucides with the Tropic of Cancer, while the two fooi are near longitude 45 deg. and 70 deg, west. 'Around this central ellipse uphear others of much less dense vagatation. Recent studies of the Gulf stream, showing that it is an accumulation of converging currents, convince tion. I felt that to bother an employé in his him that the sen-wood is not of occanic origin but that it comes from the land -- not only from the trulf of Mexico and the coust of Florida, but from the shores of the Antilles and the Bahain is. He estimates that the weed travels from the Gulf proper in about five months and a half. It continues to move slowly, after reaching the Sargasso Sea, becoming gradually heavier until it sinks and makes room for new supplies.

The Maltese Islands have long been famed for | nourishment of the brain: the requisite quantity their fertility, and their products were eagerly and quality of food, and a healthy condition of sought by the Phoenicians, the Carthaginians, the aigestive organs. review, a congestion in the pieces goods market, and the Romans. A prevalent notion among There is a very intimate relation between bra for there were but few arrivals among the go ds the Multese is that that the wonderful soil is not, and stomach. They must work harmoniously of the new season. On as ing the reason I was native, but was brought from Sicily in the time together if the best results are to be obtained told that there is at present no sale for them, of the knights. The chemical evidence of the Brain exhaustion and continuous depressing and a large quantity is still in stock. The most soil and the underlying rooks disproves this, yet contions, worry and anxiety, cause derangements satisfactory showing, however, appears in the Mr. U. Chadwick has taken the trouble to of digestion by retarding the secretion of fluids figures under woollen piece goods, where the net give a further demonstration of its improved upon which digestion depends. On the other value of the importation was Ilk. Tis. 43,499, bility He supposes that out of 95 square miles hand, food in insufficient or in excessive quantity against Hk. Tls. 17,932-a gain of 142 per cont | which form the area of Malta not more than 10 | ties, and indigestible food, affects the brain by fore to be slighted. The Spanish general who The four kinds of cloth which contributed are covered with red soil to a depth of 18 inches. causing slaggrishness of thought and diminution principally to this good array of figures were This would be against at the sound use that the commercial base been ruled out of all competitions this sear stinct of the Soundanese that the commercial of the soundanese that the so yards which would represent 77,440 ship-loads perform their functions to best advantage of naked-folks |" the next moment received a son. Colonel Conway Gordon's new double bout, the officers' part not only does not impair it is Spinish Stripes. With regards to metals. I of 200 cubic yards each, or one ship a day for simultaneously. During the process of digast stone in his mouth which sent several tests the Britomart, has just been ruled out by the cipling, but, on the contrary, adds to the sense of can only say that excepting a few pleads of two centuries, all of which must have been load than at ratting down his throat. In the first engage Royal Portsmonth Corinthian Yacht Club, one seprit de exps. Major Sellim, Commandant of Timplates, the only items of any value were educed for the use of the world be remarkable indeed if an importation of drawn from the brain. If the former, spite of their coats of mail and objection to the boat is not distinctly stated, rior, had the soldiers 'alremed' on my arrival such importance had escaped mention in his- to work during the period of active direction, superior weapons, lost twice as many men as the Colonel Conway Gordon has offered to more his They were quickly at their posts, did their dut torical records.

The viscid secretion of galls upon the British 2) per cent, Tin led, as usual, with an exportational activates small ants, which according to Dr. tion of 29,167 pionis, valued at Hk Tis. 501.587 E. Rathay, benefit the tree by killing great mountly 86 per cent, of the whole value of the quantities of caterpillars and other injurious follows that when thought and digestion are export trade, and a gain of 26 per cont. on the linecets. In a single day the inhebitants of a figures, of 1890. This preponderance of one single ant's nest may destroy more than 100,000 |

the French army. It appears that the regularity abnormally vigorous brain. of the step causes a shock to the brain and bones portation being 1,483 picula, against 1,424 picula for more injurious than an irrogular walk. the year previous to the 12 months under giving rise to peculiar noises, pains and illnesses review. Of that quantity, only 4|8 piculs went of the troops. This shock is repeated 40,000 times in a day's march, and the strain often breaks down the strongest men-these who could so cheap an article as Buffalo Horns one of the endure readily a much longer ordinary walk-in

The development of the banana trade is an any other ment except veal, pork, and corned anthentic history begin. Since then its career an advance of it par cent. This third instalment science through modern carrying facilities. Only coffee, together with some form of truit if desired, arrived in England at a moment when no song of figures makes the total value of the Import four years ago, H. Dumeis and Co., purchased 25 will be asuply sufficient to meet all the requires had an undivided hold on our ellegiance. We square miles of land in Dines. Cubs, then cover ments of nature, and to satisfy all needed nutri- had forgotten the sweet and wholesome sentied with a dense forest and having only ten in- tion even in those who habitually perform severe ment of "Little Annie Rooney." We had never the roward Hk. The 1 300, 312, a liftle more than habitants. About half the land has now been and prolonged mental or physical work. Hot bis- taken quite kindly to the passion of "Kate 8' percent, and Tonkin's share Ilk. Ils 2:4,815. cleared, and 9,000 acres planted with bananas, onit and hot cakes may be indulged in sparingly. O'Councr." or the humour of "Whatky Whack." Broad roads have been laid out; a railroad ten Generally speaking, a light breakfast will be bet. There seemed to be "some hidden want" in AND TRANSIT.—(1.) Inmards.—The miles long has been built, a town of 3,500 inhabitor by the stomach than large quantities "Hi tiddly hi till and "Knocked om in the Old ship develop into a radian machine, but to exclude ship develop into a radian machine, but to exclude ship develop into a radian machine, but to exclude ship develop into a radian machine, but to exclude value of the trade was Hk Tis. 738 410, against tants has been erested, and nine steamers are of food,

An Austrian method of imprognating timber Dednoting the value of Machinery and Govern- with zine chloride, known as the Pfister process. met Stores from the total value of Imports, consists in fastening an iron cap over the thick Foreign and Native, it will be found that 82 | end of the newly-felled log, and applying the solupar cent, of the more landise went into the tion with a force-pump. The sap soon crudes at interior, while 81 was the percentage of the the other end, and is finally followed by the sine provious year. From this showing it will be chloride solution. The process requires but a avident how much is to be feared if the transit few minutes, but has the defect of distributing

It is said that builders in Christianis, Nor way, execute mesonry contracts when the tempthe work is superior to that done in summer. 6.- THIPPING - During the past 12 months The mortar, in small quantities at a time,

sunlight, when its development was stopped in laigar immediately after lunch aids digestion.

Relic-bunters have stimulated modern inas the delta and 7 from the frontier post. by historical celebrities have been multiplied to Little is known of the movement of Chinese on lan astonishing extent, and prehistoric implethis route, but during the your under review 10 ments are made in our factories of to-day; but passports to Chinese descending the river were one of the most bare-faced frauds is the sale to travellers on the Nile of so-called "mummy 9.—OPIUM. -Native. - Notwithstanding the wheat "-which sprouts and grows like any extension of the Tonkin opium farmer's mono- other. Speaking on this subject, Mr. Carrathers. poly for eight years, beginning with 1893, there F.R.S., states that the extreme life of a grain are rumours that the Government of the Pro- of wheat is twelve years. Experiments by himtectorate desires to cancel the contract. Such self and others have made it certain that wheat | Tenerife through their simple and healthy mana step, in the opinion of Chinese merchants, cannot grow after that period has plapsed her of life, and their methodical uthielie exwould lead to a large extension of trade, for they and it has been clearly established that no ercises, is little short of fabulous. It is difficult us not even the teutotalers and the mombers When Mr. Gladstone was presented to the Pope want the opium to serve as a medium of ex- seed originally buried with a manmy has to credit some of the stories that have come down of Vigilance Societies, and the anti-tobacconists in 1864 the conversation happened to turn on change for imports, its high value and its com- ever germinated. The gennine mummy wheat to us in illustration of this. The following is -have wholly eradicated from our natures, that railways. The Pope declared that he would pactuess when prepared for expertation render- is in the same condition as the nummy. told of a man of Gomera. He and certain com- the unexampled popularity of the song is due. never permit railways in his dominions, as he ing it particularly serviceable in that respect. It would be impossible to stretch out the panious swam one day to a rock at a little dis. It had been the fashion to go about feeling jad- believed they would injure the health of his I am told that manerous traders with small arm of a mummy, because the muscle has tance from their island to gether cookles and looking blass—to be melancholy and up- subjects. Mr. Gladstone, thinking the Pope capital would embark in the frontier trade if been entirely barnt up by the oxygen, leaving other shell-fish. When they were about to reset because the century was so near its end-was not serious, pressed him more closely, and

extinction. Referring to Prof. Langley's resip ted about four fifths of its original come up with her. Him she then seized, and Graphic correspondents energy, and that it may hold out for 40 00,000 | carried in her arms towards a ravine. She proor 5:000,000 years more, but not for 10,000,000 posed to hold her captive over the abyss until many No possible source of heat seems to she had made terms with his companions. Uno available for replenishing the wining stores fortunately, however, she was not fleet enough The liest may have been originally imported to of foot to escape the others. That the men of the sun as the result of some great collision be- Palms were not wenting in stoical courage the tween two bodies which were both dark before. | deed of one May intigo may bear witness. Being so that in fact the two dark bodies conlesced wounded in the arm, and perceiving that the into a vast nebula from which the whole of our wound was about to mortify, he deliberately out system was evolved. That the sun may be rein off the diseased limb below the elbow with his vigorated by a repetition of a similar startling other hand. As the Canarians used knives of tions. process is, of course, always conceivable, but so obsidian instead of steel, this must hav been a tarrific a convension would be fatal to all life in painful and not a very spendy operation. the solar system From un source does it seem possible to dis over any resone from the insvit. Grand Canary, seem to have excelled all the other

SOME DIVERSIONS OF SPANISH RAILWAY TRAVELLING.

The Roy. H. R. Haweis has been taking a ru through Spain, and sends his impressions to the Contemporary. "Taking a run" is perhaps more collogard than exist in this case, as we may judge from Mr. Haweis's remarks upon railway tracelling in the Peninsula: -I had been told about Spanish trains not being punctual of Spanish clocks varying, and so forth; but between Bircelona and Valencia I found I still had some things to learn. Of course the train could not go on till the station. master had don't his coff is, nor could the engine to control the Spanish pilgrim's progress. But what is this? In open country, miles from any station, the train suddenly pulls up ... I had noticed a man galloping across country. Well he had been thrown in an almoent field. The villagers were assisting him to rise; one held sheer ouriosity. Further, will it be believed that most of the people got out and ran to join American ladies. Night came, but no rest f r. not-only crowded, but filthy. The official tiokelsmoked himself to sleep! As day dawned be woke up and got talkative. He then coolly told the astonished travellers that, although bound to i inspect tickets for another fifty miles, he should get out at the next station, have a little shooting on the Sierra Morena mountains, and cutch the return train about inidday! The train soon stopped; he wished us all politely good bye. raising his official cap, got out with his gun and gentleman shrugged his shoulders sympathetically, but seemed astonished when we talked of reporting the inspector, as if Spain could not go on at all if this sort of foreign intervention were eguntenanced. I'at once appreciated the situatamusements in Spain was like "robuing the poor man of his beer" in England. The moralist within me became dumb; I sank to the Spanish level and hald my peace.

THE PROPER DIET FOR BUSI- $NESS\ MEN.$

Two factors are essential for the proper

the stomac's will be deprived of a certain pro- latter. - National Review. portion of the blood required. Mental activity nucessitates an increased flow of blood to the brain, and as thought is to a certain extent controlled by the will, while digestion is not it carried on together, the bram will always take the blood needed by the stomach. If this ba

A breakfast consisting of a moderate quantity contained. of patment or some other cereal, or a couple of

eggs cooked in any desired way, or, in place of the eggs, a chop or a piece of beef, or almost began singing it at the music halls does its

ing'a meal, should be avoided,

most important of the day. Impradence at this evening. The 'bus conductor, yelled it at the time, when the mind is most notively engaged! hansom cabman; 'Arry used it as a new form of is often the cause of severe dyspepsia. The man greeting for 'Arriet; street Arabs sang it as who goes from his lunch to any work demanding they swept their prossings; strayed revellers concentration of thought and elemens of intellect whistled it as they went for went of thought. should make the s lection of his luncheon a It was everywhere at all times; occasionallystudy, and should neither deprive himself of food more particularly at certain Bohemian night which, while it pleases the palate, cannot fail telligible conversation. either to result in mental behetude while the process of digestion is progressing, or if the

The bacillus of typhoid has been expessed to before severe mental labour is begun. A light It is in the evening, when work is done, that the substantial meal of the day should be taken. The tiet, however, should be generous and the surroundings enjoyable. - Food.

A BREED OF ATHLETES.

The strength acquired by the Guanches of

certain by the signs of the san's approaching safety.

But the Gnanches, and their neighbours of

the Spanish occupation, a certain enormous stone turni sequences of human nature, instead of was for long pointed out as one of the instruments orassly thwarting them on every side as we do at - The remains of a wonderful city, which with of the Guanche athletic courses. The natives had been able to lift it, set it on their shouldors. and even throw it over their heads . Their degenerate posterity and the Spaniards could not raise it from the ground. Tradition has immortalised one Adargoms, of Grand Caunry, who could wrestle for two successive hours, and, having been thrown undermost in a certain contost, got his antagonist between his legs and nems. and squeezed him so that his bones bogan to grack. This native was subsequently sent as a prisoner to Spain, where he astounded the peopla by his performances. One day, in Seville, he was visited by a brawny youth of La Mancha, who was anxious to try a boot with him. " My good friend," said Adargoma, "as we are going we should begin by drinking something." his challenger. " If with both your arms you nature. Toil is to be purged of its grine and can overpower one of mine, so as to hinder me from drinking every drop of this wine, we will try our strength together. If not, you may return to your own home." The struggle took place, and Adargoma by degrees drained bowl in the coolest manner, without spilling drop of the wine. His one hand was more than legible and audible record of the pulsations of hua match for the other's two.

It was reasoned nothing out of the common for a man to take an matethered ox by the hore | made cheap. Flight through the upper air will with one hand, and slay it with the other. cortain native-born priest of Grand Canary, in numberless other things that have not yet half a dozen English, including myself, and two the seventeenth century, showed that he inherit entered into the heart of man, all growing out the lively imagination of Carmon Sylva, nor the ed some of his ancistors' vigour. He could not of the conservation of energy. Meantimo the me; the first-class carriage being by that time only kill an ex in this way; but one day, heaving that an enraged buil had broken loose, and was biological evolution, slowly unfolds its absorbing collector was amongst us. Besides his uniform. in the street, he can out, and grasping it by the picture of the laws and phenomena of life. Yet be were a hunting-pouch and had brought his leg throw it down, and so hald it until its owner strange to say, we have done almost nothing to fewling-piece. After snipping our tickets he was able to secure it. This doughty son of the Church, before his death, chanced to have one physical and moral welfare of the human race. of his legs amoutated for a causer. It was then A triffe in medicine, or, rather, surgery, and a found that his thigh-bone was solid, with no beginning in the breeding of domestic animals, trace of marrow. It must be confessed, however, that the relies of the Canarians, now found in their burying-places, do not bear out the inference that this was a national characteristic: though their dimensions are cartainly a testimony of the strength and size of their late pro- beauty, and organic purity, its strength of mus-

From their infancy the islanders were taught nd the pain when they were hit served as an admirable educative agent | Stones and sharppointed javeling were substituted when they had grown to boyhopd. It was under a training of this kind that they developed the promptitude in attack and indefence which took the Spaniards could hardly believe their eyes when they saw their bowmen. And they were no less amazed by the terrific velocity, precision, and force of the stones which were hurled against them as the overture of a buttle. As a test of his alertness, a Canarian was wont to give three men a dezen oranges, and invite them to pelt him as hard and as fast as they pleased. He invariably caught the oranges in his hand, but never missed his own aim. At Seville, too. a Canarian would, for a few peace, lot anyone pelt him with stones from a distance of seven or eight yards. Without moving his left foot, he avoided every stone. A people who yoked themselves to the plough (a frame-work of wood with goats horas stuck in it), and could give and take so dexterously in the field, were not

THE SONG OF THE SEASON.

It broke in upon us like a thief in the night, did this "Ta-ra-ra-Boom-de-ay." The origin of habitual, it soons leads to pronounced dyspepsis, the melody is velled in mystery, almost as deep The effects of regular marching upon soldiers and chronic dyspensis in its turn, by irritation as that which hides the authorable of the Iliad have been studied by Dr. Colin; a physician of of the nervous system, incapacitates even an and the identity of the Man in the Iron Mask. According to one musical critic, our old and In the light of these facts it is important for familiar friend "La donna é mobile" is the fons business men to understand the relations between et origo mali; according to other authorities the brain work and digestion, so that they may nogroes of Louisiana had been in the habit of obtain the best work from both brain and sto- singing "Ta-ra-ra-Boom-de-ay," even as they mach. It is imp saible to prescribe a diet suit sang the "Bogie Mau," for years, and perhaps able to every individual, but certain rules can be for generations, before the rest of the world disformulated which will apply to the average man. povered all the splendid possibilities the tune

IN TA-RA'S HALLS. Only from the time when Miss Lottie Collins he mid-day meal is, to the business man, the sang it on our way home from business in the fun out of the boat."

THE VOICE OF THE OLD ADAM. To the cultivated liferary pritic the words of brain is made to work, the sowing of the seeds the song seem to be absolutely fatuous. From of dyspensis. Such tood as plain soups, cold the point of view of the stylist they indubitably chicken, milk, cresses, lettuce, rice, rice pudding. leave a great deal to be desired. But the A recent epidemic in three different centres sundwiches of beef or lamb, bread and butter, stylist's point of view is not the only one, of his duties he found must difficult, replied Paris was supposed to have been imported and plain cake will be amply sufficient to pre- and the lines Miss Collins sings with such "Managing the women." He was connected from Buenos Ayres through a cargo of parrots, serve untrition, and yet so readily assimilated vivacity and point are not incapable of vin- with the Navy, and waxes elequent in respect to Investigation proves, however, that the disease that brain work does not materially interfere dication. Let us summarise them. They pro- the obstacles which are encountered by the of was a pneumonio form of influenza, not brought with their digestion. Alcohol in any form fees to be the outpourings or confessions of a ficials who endeavour to enforce the order which by the parrots, though possibly spread by germs should not be taken, and pastry and ice-cream young lady in Society with a capital S. None forbils women following their husbands to naval should be especially avoided. Fifteen minutes of the many ladies who sing the song enset etations. should be spent in light reading or conversation the rôle quite in a way to secure the deception of the elect, but that is a more matter of detail. This young lady in Society with a capital S re. afternoon at Lady Knutsford's, the late Lord Restrictions in regard to articles of diet at this and guardians are upon her; but she gives us to asleep. One of the noble author's own pieces

> AND THE JOY OF LIFE. And; no doubt, it is by thus giving expression

opium farmer to mix with the Indian drug, but as mummy wheat is only a form of the grain lash the water with its frightened ears. It awake us like a trumpet-nell to the Rubinstein is ovidently of the opinion that less the men of Gomera made prompt use of their new belief in the hollowness of thing; foll to eries, died with Chopin; and the reason of this The passing away of the human race is mide opportunity, and were able to swim home in pieces like a house of cards. We for rulin a is that there are no more Juliets of Ophelias or moment the maining of the phrise fin de sisole; Grenchens. Instead of being naive and in-In Palma the woman were as robust as the we remembered only that ginger was hot in the ganuous, woman are remembered only that ginger was hot in the ganuous, woman are remembered only that ginger was hot in the ganuous, woman are remembered only that ginger was hot in the searches on the loss of solar heat. Sir Rubert men. We read of a cortain one of them. Gusyan- month, and that it was a mun's own fault if he questioning Every girl, he complains, is now a laws Bill says that the greatest amount of heat the fants by name, who, being pursued by several did not taste his fair share of it in his allotted a count room, every woman a fague; which sun out by r, have contained would supply its muraulers from the adjacent island of Hisro (a span of life. In short, we found in "Ta-ra-ra- sounds a ysterious enough to provoke a ravival radiation for 18,000,000 years at the present proof that the islanders did occasionally inter- Boom-de-ay" not murely a new rong but a new of mostle leism. What would be call Miss Lottie rate. It seems that the sun has already dis- communicate), allowed the foremost of them to gospel also—the gospel of the join de viere.— Collins singing her immortal song? Meanwhile

THE AGE OF ENERGY AND $oldsymbol{BIOLOGY}.$

A PROPHECY OR THE FUTURE. Mr. Clarence King, who organisal the United States Gaological Survey in 1878, discourses, in the Forum, on the Education of the Future, upon which he holds somewhat advanced no-

He thinks it ought to be possible now to chart the course of growth of a healthy all-

mechanical; it seems to have become a splendid sometimes three stories high, contained rooms sort of self-directed machine, an incredible au- which were only about three foot square. The tematon, grinding on with its analyses or con- doors were a foot high, and none of the mamstructions. But for pure sentiment, for all that mies found were over twenty-seven inches, just spontaneous, jozone Greek waywardness of about the size of Gen. Tam Thumb. East. fancy, for the temperature of passion and the room had a flat atome in the coutre. Those prosubtler shrill of ideality, you might as well look bably were the fables, around which gathered. to a wrought iron derrok."

WHAT WE ARE COMING TO. sensible it as concerning the learning of langu- abode of evil spirits, and cheere, so it had never ages. He indulges in the following prophecy been explored. Pigmy raper have been known of things to come :-

to wrestle together, it is only reasonable that age, conservation of energy and biological evolu- existence in America, and the interesting relies A tion, the first only has been made practical in have been seemed for the Smithsonian Institute large bowl of wine having been brought, he buman affairs. We are mustering the indust at Washington. took this in one hand and continued to address trial use of energy as fast as we comprehend its its iron hardship; the machanic and do nestic has been compared to that of many writers, but arts will be made refined and delicate. Transit of persons and commodities and ideas must be for more swift, safe, and aconomical than now. We shall whisper around the glabe. An instrument will be devised which will give at once a man speech, and thus end that todious and retarding conventionality, the alphabet. Energy will be ba a daily matter of course. We shill contrive other great georat of nature we have discovered strange to say, we have done almost nothing to make its astonishing reveletions conduce to the are all we have done."

THE ABOLITION OF DISEASE. " If the future of man's mechanical industry lies under the shadow of the laws of energy, the future of his whole bodily nature, its health, ole, perve, and brain depends upon intelligent obedience to the new table of biological como he adroit in self-defence. They were pelted mandments. In his ignorance of human biology. systematically with little darts and balls of clay, man hardone little or nothing to protect society from the fatal percentage of disease, orime, and incompatence. Like a patient beast of burden. tar by England worthless from a strategical humanity has staggered since Eden under a load of ills, nearly all of which might have that at no distant period Gibraltar may be been prevented by a rigorous application of godes to Spain for one of the Balearie Islands. so greatly by surprise. These voteran warriors quick to adopt railways, but we cannot realise Italian at La Maddalena, the French Mediterheredity: we have eagarly put our ear to the the Guanches catch in their hands the arrows of telephone, and been wilfully dout to the voice of France would be entirely cut off from her science, which is affering to tell us how to make four own children strong and fair. Whenever a quickened sense of moral responsibility brings us to resolve to improve the human body, biology will furnish all the details for intelligent procedure. We accept the army of incompetence, of insanity and disease, as a bardon from Providence, and think ourselves very virtuous for liberally wasting the bound of ours when the onnee of prevention is atterly neglected. This is the age of energy: next will be the age of

DOUBLE-HULLED YAUHTS.

There is much contraversy in ynching circle urged his men against them with the words: at present about double-keeled boats. They took part. It is a good sign of the military in boat in one of the events, leaving the prizes intelligently, and presented a fine military sport to go to the single-hulled boat, as if his boat sole. The infantry was good, even for on was not on the water. The committee however, standard." have declined this also, but state that if a private match can be arranged they will be glad to start In a pleasant paper in the Century upor it. The boat has a sliding Gunter mainsail and a Thomas Couture the French figure-painter very curious jib, the tack being made fast to a who is but little known in England, we have a traveller on a bar between the two bulks and the | anecdote of the imputience of Napoleon III. A foot of the sail gripped between two spars joined | though Conture was papular, he did not get on a at either end. Colonel Conway Gordon, in a Court, either with Louis Philippe or later, wit recent letter to the Bield, pointed out that Napoleon III. The latter gave him one com the object of all clubs is to encourage mission, and one only, and this was the end of it :any yacht that can still or race. If there are In the course of the work he had to have sit other qualities than sails or speed they should tings from the various members of the un be definitely stated. At present they are not, perial family and their immediate followers. If and the inference he draws is that they are not portrait-painter, when his sittors are ordinar required, so far as the club is concerned. Colonel mortals, has nearly always to undergo mun Gordon, however, holds that other qualities are unpleasant scenes, it is easy to judge how h required, and sums these up by saying that a temper is tried, and his nerves unstrung, who yacht should be seawerthy, cheap, durable, and these sitters are princes or Severeigns. It commodious. He maintains that the "cubinet. likely that in Conturn's case the sittings were no worked, cedar-built, lead mine of the present agreeable either to the painter or to his model day" desnot combine these qualities, "Nothing | Napoleon III. wished to direct his artist, and could be costlier," he says, "till someone with all artists Couture was the least easy todirec more brains and still more money develops some. Finally, one day, greated beyond endurance, the Weather clear, warm and rather dry. (Remed at 10,18 a. thing in lead or aluminium that will exceed in painter turned around and said: "Sire, who is price even the present fancy article." Nor are to paint this picture-your Majesty or IF" ordinary racing yachts commodious or durable, And neither painted it! The Emperor gave no he argues, and suggests that the bost way to more sittings, turned his back on the painter exclude the pronounced racing machine, whether and his courtiers turned theirs also. The order double or single, is not to condemnany particular was not maintained, and all the work of many Keu! Road:" The precise nature of that hidden the specimens of all types as soon they have de-Breakfast should be finished an hour and a half want no one precisely knew. Whatever it may veloped so far in this direction as to be practibefore active mental work begins. Reading the have been. "There a Boom-de-ay" supplied it, cally unfit for cruising. As regards his own pripers and a moderate walk, leieurely conducted, So we all took to singing it, and those of us who boat, he remarks :- Holding, as I do, that the and Chinking 6th June, experienced light to are rather calculated to assist than to retard di- could not sing it bawled it and shouted it in highest pleasure in the world is to win a yacht strong N.E. winds with dall cloudy weather gestion. Violent exercise, immediately follow- stead. We sang it in the matutinal tub, we race, and the next highest pleasure is to lose, throughout. sang it at mid-day on our way to luncheon, we I am cortain that, win or lose, I shall have my

ULLA PODRIDA.

The Emperor of Austria has promised to open the forthcoming Dramatic and Musical Exhibition at Vienua in propria persona. There are to be Chinese and Japanese theatres. The main building, which will seat 1,500 persons, will be used both for concerts and dramatic perfor-

An American statesman who was asked which

While Mr. Clifford Harrison was reciting one presents that she is demure and proper, and mo- Houghton entered the room, sat upon a chair dest and retiring when the eyes of her parents close to the popular elecutionist, and fell fast ing of propriety and modesty, the Old Adam of Clifford Harrison determined that it should be devilment is lurking; and ever and again this the next. When he had recited it, and while Old Adam expresses itself in the ejaculation | the audience were applauding, Lord Houghton | "Ta-ra-ra-Boom-de-ay,", repeated half-a-dozen awoke, and rising from his chair exclaimed, times, and accompanied by a wild and frenzied "One of the best things I have ever heard! dance which might furnish hints even to a Who wrote it? Is it published?"

Mr. Severn, the artist, writing in the Atlantic Monthly, tells an amusing anecdote of Pope Pius they could exchange their merchandise in the limb completely rigid; and the whole of turn to their sensyance they found themselves to profess that nothing was worth living for the Pope then said seriously that he was "sure Yunnan for an article which is as good as ready those grains of wheat, flux and various other surrounded by a horde of shark. One of the money in Tonkin. The 129 picula valued at seeds that have been preserved have been sub- men then straighteny dived into the sen, and, ed ourselves; we fully believed that these sen, from passing through the sir so rapidly in rail-

man should be charged with the destruction of

The rapid growth of American cities is but Chinese Loan '84 C., cago is alive, and pursues the same trade (that Cruickshank & Co.A. of a corpenter and millwright) as he did when I Dairy Farm Co. he came with his parents, in 1833, to what was Fenwick & Co., Geo. then only a frontier fort on Lake Michigan. ing the death of the first white settler of San H. & C. Bakery Francisco, whose name was Jacob Losse. Neither of these men seems to have been able to " make a pile," though they must have had opportunities of getting land at a price calculated round mind, and devise a whole system of educa- to yield an unearned increment which would make the Pabian Society shiver.

out doubt was the home of pigmies. has just "The purely scientific brain is miserably base discovered in Para. The houses, though doubtless, many a joily party. Within the town was a citaded, built on a rook two hundred Mr. King is so newhat yague, but he has good fast high. The natives supposed this to be this in other countries -- Studiey describes them in "Thus far, of the two great discoveries of the his books, but this is the flest trace of their

The style of her Majesty's literary productions probably a more amusing comparison has never been made than that in an article on "La Vie Intime da Sa Majeste la Reine Victoria." by M. E. Pissot, in the May anabar of M. Jules Simon's excellent Reono de Famille. M. Tissot. in writing about some passages in the Queen's Journals, holds that "their simple tenderness and their feminine sweetness facto one think of a more familiar and virtuous and of an equally deliciously sensitive Loti." The writer gow on to say. "It is true Queen Victoria has neither astounding artistic feeling of the Hippress Elisuboth, nor, parhups, even the intelligence of hordaughter tite Empress Frederick, but she has a | woman's heart, which, Diou merci, for the happiness of England and of the Royal family, in no way resembles those so carerly analyzed by our modern novelists."

An article in the Internationale Revue uber die gesaminter Armeen und Flotten draws Naw Malwa 8510 attention; to the extensive fortifications now | Old (5 years) Malwa \$530 being ercoted by the French at Bissrta ("The Old (5 years) Malwa \$5 " French in Tunis"). Biseria, with its inland Old (Liveurs) Malwa 3550 harbour ten miles long by eight broad, which can Old(15 years) Mulwa \$560 only be reached by a canal five miles in length, is | carne (New) ... \$553? annable of sheltering with absolute, security the Patus (Old) ... \$560 entire floots of the world. If ever the talked-of Benaries (New) \$525 canal between Bordeaux and the Gulf of Lyons | Benares (Old) \$525 to \$5275 is completed, the French flest will be able to move in and out of the Mediterranean without danger, thereby making the retention of Gibralpoint of view. It seems probable, therefore, colonies and protectorates in Africa.

officers, and has just published an essay upon Liverpool-10 cases ouries, and 2 cases eigerathe subject. Here is a paragraph from an extract which the Standard's Berlin correspondent telegraphs :- " Liontenant Colonel Kromster. Commandant of Wady Halfa, received me in the most friendly manner, and begged me to tell him what I would like to see. We inspected the barracks of two Soudaness b ttalions, which, like the soldiers themselves. were extremely clean. In the afternoon great football match took place, in which hundred Soudaness and several English officer

The British steamer Indyuan, from Wuhu

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4, Port Phillip, British str., for Kobe. 4. Has-ship. Chinese str., for Foodbow 4. Chingping, Chinese str., for Tientsin. 4. Feiching, British str., for Chefoo, 4. Linnet, British g.v., for Yangtsza Ports.

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